PLOT TO BLOW UP ARSENAL

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight; Friday fair; light west winds.
Sun rises 6:53; sets 4:13; moon rises 1:53 a. m.; high tide 7 a. m., 7:15 p. m.
Temperatures till 1 p. m.: Maximum, 41 at noon; minimum, 33 at 5 a. m.; average, 35.7. Temperature at 1 p. m., 39.

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THREE STEAMERS BLOWN UP

GREEK SHIP SUNK BY TORPEDO

By International News Service.

LONDON, Dec. 2. — The Greek steamer Zarifis has been sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine according to maritime advices received here this afternoon. The crew was saved.

The Zarifisfi is the first Greek ship reported destroyed by submarines. In view of the present situation in the Balkans its sinking is expected to have a marked effect at Athens.

The vessel displaced 2,904 tons and was built in 1901 in England.

The British steamers Orange Prince and Colenzo have been sunk by German submarines in the Mediterranean. The crew of the Colenzo was saved, but it is feared all the fifty men of the Orange Prince were lost.

The Orange Prince was a vessel of 3,583 tons, built in 1894 and owned by the Prince line. It hailed from Newcastle. The Colenzo was a Wilson liner, displacing 3,861 tons. Her home port was Hull.

Initiate Harvard Men in Adams Sq.

Commuters in Adams square were treated to the sight of four Harvard "Gold Coasters" being initiated into the Sigma Alpha Epsilon, speeches being made from the base of the statue of John Adams. One youth, in a gown of crimson with a large picture hat and veil, spoke on suffrage.

Lynn Man Badly Hurt by Auto Truck

George E. Marsh of Boston street, Lynn, was seriously hurt at Western avenue and Centre street, Lynn, this noon when he was knocked down and run over by an auto truck. It is feared his skull is fractured.

France Wants to Buy 50 Vessels

By International News ervice.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—The government decided at a ministerial council today to introduce a bill in the Chamber of Deputies authorizing the purchase of a fleet of fifty vessels.

Tramp Steamer In, Commander Is Ill

The Spanish tramp steamer Mar Negro came in today with a cargo of iron pyrites; her commander, Captain Muruetagoyena, ill in his bunk and Chief Officer C. Alday in charge.

TODAY'S BANK CLEARINGS.

Boston sub-treasury credit, $18,213. Boston bank clearings, $47,513,122. New York sub-treasury credit, $909 593. New York clearings, $562,050,437.

PRETTIEST GIRL AT BALL WILL BE A "MOVIE" STAR

PHOTO BY CHAMPLAIN STUDIO.

Sophie Sadowsky of Dorchester, adjudged prettiest girl at "Movie" ball, who will be given chance to enter film career.

2 ALARMS FOR WINTHROP BLAZE

Two alarms—one was necessary, the other was not—were sounded for a fire which was started early today by defective wiring in a vacant second floor apartment on Cottage avenue, Winthrop.

William T. Jones and family on the ground floor were driven out by smoke, also by firemen having to come into their part and cut through the walls and ceiling to get at the creeping flames.

The first alarm was sounded by a pedestrian who saw smoke coming from the house. After this man had left the box and run back to the house a second pedestrian came along and pulled in another alarm. The police estimated the fire damage at $200.

Several thousand Bostonians feel today as though they know the film stars well enough to borrow money from them.

For Boston's third annual "movie" ball, which took place in the Arena last night—and captured several hours out of today's trenches as well—brought guests nearer to the motion picture folk than ever before.

They had a platform in the middle of the dancing floor. Upon this platform all the stars went, one at a time, and were loudly and plainly introduced, and one had a first-class chance to see 'em face to face.

After Clara Kimball Young—who won the Boston AMERICAN'S contest for the most popular woman film star—had bowed and smiled two or three times from that platform, where everyone all over the Arena space could see her plainly, it was just like being introduced to her.

This introduction of the film favorites from the platform was one feature out of many at the 1915 "movie" ball, under the auspices of the Motion Picture Exhibitors' League of Massachusetts.

After the grand march there was

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Rantoul "Chaperon" Tells of Trips

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FORD GIVES FINAL PLANS

GUARD BIG MUNITION STORES

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 2.—Police and officials of the French Battery and Carbon Company of East Madison are investigating a fire which destroyed the battery plant, causing a loss of $100,000. Several explosions were heard by the night watchman before the fire was discovered, causing the belief that it was incendiary.

By International News Service.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., Dec. 2.—That several attempts have been made to destroy the great United States military arsenal here was revealed today by the report sent to Washington by Lieutenant-Colonel George W. Burr, commandant at the post, relating a series of mysterious circumstances.

As a result a small army of guards is stationed on the federal reservation at all aproaches, and no one is allowed to pass the sentry posts without accounting for his presence.

The report tells of the discovery, in November, 1914, that a man who had previously been ordered off the reservation was sending secret code messages to a foreign government, telling what munitions were stored at the arsenal.

It says that in May, 1915, an I. W. W. plot to raid the arsenal and start a revolution was discovered; that on August 21 last a man in a rowboat with 150 pounds of dynamite was arrested while trying to land on the isl-

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Sues Father Over Estate of Aunt

The suit of Walter F. Galvin of Dorchester against his father, John A. Galvin of Charlestown, to recover property left by his aunt, Elizabeth G. Munn, opened today in the Suffolk Superior Court. The plaintiff testified his aunt gave him a piece of paper with the words: "This is to certify that I, Elizabeth G. Munn, do give everything to Walter F. Galvin, nephew of mine."

Curley Warns on Loan Sharks at City Hall

Mayor Curley proceeded against the loan sharks at City Hall today by instructing the City Treasurer to refuse payment to all money sharks who have claims against city employes.

The Mayor says that 260 of the city's servants are paying as high as 180 per cent. for small loans.

Mayor Curley also charges that the provisions of the small loans act are being constantly violated at City Hall.

The loans advanced to city employes run, the Mayor believes, from $15,000 to $25,000.

A credit union was formed recently at City Hall to take care of the worst cases.

The Corporation Counsel has been ordered to take the first attachment made into court as a test case.

Marine Killed by Gas in Dover, N. H.

Dover, N. H., Dec. 2.—J. C. Brent, a United States marine, was found dead of gas poisoning today in a room at the New Adams Hotel here. A. H. Wilkinson, another marine, was found unconscious in the same room and is now at the Winthrop Hospital with a chance for recovery. According to the police the gas must have been accidentally turned on last night. Both men belonged to the marine guard on the United States prison ship Southery at Portsmouth. Brent's body was later removed to the Portsmouth Navy Yard.

¶ Shop Early

¶ Only Nineteen

¶ More Shopping Days

¶ Before

¶ Christmas

FORD SHIP TO SAIL ON TIME

By HELEN BULLIT LOWRY.
International News Service Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Henry Ford returned from Detroit today and immediately began to put his peace expedition to Europe on a business basis. He declared that the liner Oscar II. would sail promptly at the hour set, 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, with the American contingent of peace pilgrims.

The first leg of the liner's voyage will take the Ford party to Christiania, where the Americans will be joined by peace advocates from other neutral countries. Mr. Ford said he expected delegates from Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, Switzerland and Spain.

As these delegates will not officially represent their countries, Mr. Ford will pay their expenses as well as those of the American party.

Each of the seven national groups is to select five persons as its leaders. These thirty-five persons shall constitute a permanent neutral council which shall remain in existence until the war is over, or until neutral nations have formed an official council.

This counsil, Mr. Ford explained, will not make any suggestions of peace to the belligerent nations, but will instead await suggestions from the powers involved in the war.

"We believe," said Mr. Ford, "that the belligerents are only waiting for such a board through which to make a move. We believe they are anxious for peace and are deterred from suggesting the terms only by the fact that present international machinery furnishes no affective intermediary machinery."

Secretary Lansing announced in Washington today that members of Mr. Ford's peace party will not be given passports to belligerent countries, but only to neutral States in Europe.

Zona Gale Declines Ford Invitation

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 2.—Zona Gale, the writer, received a telegram today inviting her to join the Ford peace party. She declined by wire, saying that, although she would like to go, other engagements prevented.

For news of the Boston American Christmas Fund campaign see Page 11.

Boston Shares in Snowfall in Eastern States

The snowfall reported as general over the Middle Western and Eastern States north of Virginia struck Boston a little after noon today. Providence also reported snow was falling. It was the first general snowfall of the season.

Franklin, Pa., reported two inches; Wilkesbarre half an inch, Pittsburgh a heavy, wet fall that melted as fast as it fell; Albany a light flurry.

In Carthage, N. Y., there was two feet of snow. Throughout the Adirondacks the fall ranged from six inches to two feet.

Philadelphia was blanketed with wet snow. Niagara Falls had a fairly heavy snow, and the first ice formed about the falls. New York city had a flurry. So did Baltimore.

In Washington the fall was light. Syracuse reported a light fall with low temperature.

Eleventh German Spy Shot in London

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The eleventh German spy to be shot to death in London since the war began was executed this morning it was officially announced.

Northfield Water Petition Filed.

A petition for the establishment of a water supply district in the town of Northfield was filed with the Secretary of State today by Albert S. Gordon of Northfield.

WIFE ENDS STORY IN COURT

Mrs. Lois Burnett Rantoul today finished her testimony at the hearing on her husband's petition for sole custody of their two daughters, in the East Cambridge Court.

A number of society women were seated in the chairs in the jury box during the concluding hours of her four-day testimony today.

When Mrs. Rantoul left the stand, Miss Elizabeth Huntington, who had accompanied her on several of the trips to Washington, New York and elsewhere, where she has said she met [illegible] Chapin Rumrill—for whom she testified she entertained a "Heaven-sent love," took the stand and told her story of these trips.

Mrs. Rantoul's early testimony today was on cross-examination by A

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VERY LATEST NEWS

GERMANS PLAN ATTACKS TOWARD PARIS.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Suported by poison gases, the Germans are preparing for a big offensive movement around Compeigne and betwen the Oise and Sommeviers, says the Intransigeant. Campiegne is the nearest points to which the German lines approach Paris.

CAR AND WAGON COLLIDE IN SOUTH BOSTON.

An outbound Elevated car and a wagon owned by C. F. Stewart of Cushing avenue, Dorchester, collided today at the junction of Broadway and Dorchester street, South Boston. Stewart was slightly injured. The wagon and front vestibule of the car were smashed. Those on the car escaped injury.

The Greatest Mystery Story of the Year
—BEGINS—
In the Boston American Next Sunday

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Long Instalments Daily. The Novel, Complete, in 14 Issues of the Boston American

THE BOOK IS BETTER THAN THE PLAY. THE PLAY HAS THRILLED THOUSANDS.

QUESTION MRS. RANTOUL ON TRIPS AND MEETING RUMRILL

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torney Hunt, counsel for her husband, Edward L. Rantoul.

Mrs. Rantoul said she "probably" telephoned Mr. Rumrill when she was going to New York or Washington, and where she would stay in those cities.

Her story was interrupted for the reading of a deposition made by Charles F. Choate, Jr., whose wife is Mrs. Rantoul's aunt.

A portion of this deposition was read in secret at the judge's bench.

Attorney Hunt questioned Mrs. Rantoul as to her finances. She testified that since the divorce trial her husband has been punctual in his payments to her of $150 a month.

To a question as to how much her own estate consisted of, she replied that it was in trust, and she could not be sure of the amount. But she testified that she is paying $60 a month rent, that she pays $250 a year for the schooling of her daughters, that she pays $50 "every little while" for their riding lessons, and that she employs two maids and pays each $7 a week.

As to the New York and Washington trips, she said she always took Miss Huntington with her and paid her travelling expenses, and she said they always had a state room on the train.

MRS. RANTOUL PALE.

Mrs. Rantoul looked pale and tired. The cross-examination continued:

Q.—What was the last time you saw Mr. Rumrill before going to Washington? A.—I don't know.

Q.—You communicated with him, did you not, about that trip? A.—He knew I was going. I probably telephoned him.

Q.—Did he know where you were going to stay in Washington? A.—I had mentioned that I might stop at the New Willard.

Q.—Since the last divorce trial has your husband paid you $150 a month? A.—Yes.

Q.—Has he paid it punctually? A.—He has.

Q.—Can you give us some idea of your own income, Mrs. Rantoul? A.—I cannot.

Q.—Can't you give us some idea? A.—No. It is in trust and I cannot tell you.

Q.—How much rent do you pay at your house? A.—I pay $60 a month.

Q.—What are the expenses for the schooling of the children? A.—About $250 or $260 a year.

Q.—Do they take dancing lessons? A.—No. Not this year.

Q.—Do they take riding lessons? A.—Yes.

Q.—How expensive are these riding lessons? A.—Well, I buy them $50 worth of tickets and when those are used I buy the same amount again.

MISS HUNTINGTON THERE.

Q.—How many maids do you employ? A.—Two.

Q.—What do you pay them? A.—I pay them $7 a week.

Q.—Now, Mrs. Rantoul, on that trip to Washington did Miss Huntington accompany you? A.—She did.

Q.—Who paid her expenses? A.—I paid her hotel and railroad expenses.

Q.—Did Miss Huntington accompany you on other trips? A.—She did to New York and elsewhere.

Q.—And did you always pay her hotel and railroad expenses? A.—I did.

Mrs. Rantoul testified that she and Miss Huntington always travelled in a compartment on the train and had meals served in their rooms.

Q.—During the last two years has Mr. Rumrill made any gifts to Miss Huntington? A.—None that I know of.

At this point Attorney Hunt closed his cross-examination, which had lasted the better part of three days.

Attorney Proctor then submitted her to re-direct examination.

Under re-direct examination, Mrs. Rantoul said that in writing to her husband she addressed the letters "Dear Edward" and ended them "Ever, Lois," till he insisted that she begin with "Dearest" and end "With Love" or not write at all. Then she said she ended her letters, "Affectionately, Lois."

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Christmas Dinner $1.00 Per Plate
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OPEN TILL MIDNIGHT

Fines for Sunday Labor at Dock

Charged with violating a "blue" law by working Sunday, Patrick W. Butler and James E. McCaffrey, foreman and workman respectively for the Allan line, were fined $5 each today in the Charlestown court. They appealed and were held in $200 each. They were loading an Allan line steamship at the Mystic dock. Horace G. Allen, their counsel, argued that the work was necessary.

TODAY IS THE DAY
To put your ads in the Sunday American's "Real Estate" and "Want Ad" section. Easy copy insures correct classification, and full circulation. Delay means loss.

Oldest Recruit to Join Colors in British Army

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In response to Lord Derby's call for volunteers, Charles Farmer, at the age of seventy-eight, a veteran of the Crimean War and forty-four years out of the army, has passed examination for service and has been assigned to the Shropshire Light Infantry.

Bazaar in Charlestown.

The bazaar in aid of the Father Michael Supple Guild of the Women's Catholic Union opens tonight in St. Francis de Sales School Hall, Charlestown, and will continue for three days.

BOSTON GIRL IS ADOPTED BY RICH COUPLE

By a freak of fortune like that which made little "John Doe No. 104" the heir to the millions of Finley Jay Shepard and Helen Gould Shepard, a Boston girl has become the daughter of wealth.

The girl is two and a half years old, and she is the actual daughter of John Rolfe Parson, who formerly lived on Charles street, Boston. A month after she was born her mother died, and her father, in an affidavit attached to the adoption papers which are on file in New York, says that he is unable to bring up the child properly.

The girl has been adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Drexel Godfrey of No. 640 Park avenue, New York.

Mrs. Godfrey was Miss Fanny M. Hoagland. Her father, James C. Hoagland, a millionaire miller, left her an annuity of $150,000. Mr. Godfrey is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Godfrey of No. 1 East Forty-ninth street, New York, and is a member of the Metropolitan, Racquet and Tennis and Rumson Country Club and of the Automobile Club of America.

ANOTHER ADOPTED.

The adoption papers filed in New York tell not only how a little Boston girl has become a child of fortune, but also how a little waif from London has entered the same household. This London foundling has been known to the Godfreys for about three years, and is now over six years old.

The application for legal adoption was made November 16, and the final papers were filed in the Supreme Court in New York yesterday.

The little London waif was known before her adoption as Brenda Simpson. The Godfreys found her in charge of Eveline Jackson, a nurse in a London hospital. Miss Jackson told how the child had been brought to a clinic by her mother and abandoned there.

The mother's name was Elise; but the father's name was unknown. The mother had given a Bayswater address, but search there disclosed the fact that she had disappeared.

John Rolfe Parson, father of the little Boston girl who has been adopted by the Godfreys, when he found himself upon his wife's death unable to care for the baby, was glad to give her into the care of the Godfreys. For more than a year she has been living under their care, getting acquainted with her new parents.

THOUSANDS SEE MOVIE STARS AT BALL

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the Thanhouser Beauty Contest, in which over a score of pretty New England girls competed for the honor of being adjudged the fairest of all and for the opportunity of a "movie" career. The judges were Boston dramatic critics.

They selected as the prettiest of the candidates Miss Sophie Sadowsky of No. 73 Bird street, Dorchester, a winsome blonde. She was given the stage name of Doris Grey.

The attendance was a feature, as it was last year. They had to shut the ticket window and turn them away. Estimates of attendance run anywhere from eight thousand to ten thousand.

The fun began quite early with the arrival of film stars and magnates from New York, with street parades late in the afternoon.

WANT CONVENTION HERE.

The Metro people started things by getting in town first. They were pretty much in evidence all through the ball, too. A large delegation of Metro stars, magnates, managers and so on arrived in their special car at 4 o'clock, had an auto parade to the Copley-Plaza and sat down to a banquet before going to the ball.

J. W. Engel of the Metro officials made the happy suggestion at that banquet that the next national moving picture convention take place in Boston. This motion was seconded by Francis X. Bushman, the Metro star, and was unanimously adopted.

At 6:30 representatives of the other big companies arrived in three special cars from New York and were greeted by a crowd at the South Station. There was a parade to the Back Bay.

The ball guests jammed into the Arena in such numbers that by 9 o'clock the seats were filled and the floor was crowded.

INTRODUCED "MOVIE" STARS.

Film stars kept coming. Among the favorites who came and were in due time presented from the platform were the following:

World Film Company—Clara Kimball Young, Gail Kane, Edwin August.

Metro—Francis X. Bushman, Beverly Bayne, Mary Miles Minter, Valli Valli, Marguerite Snow, Edmund Breese and Grace Valentine.

Thanhouser—Flo La Badie, Mignon Anderson, Gladys Hulette, Louise Emerald Bates, Morris Foster, Ethel Cook, Harris Gordon.

Edison—Viola Dana, Mabel Trunelle, Edward Earle.

Gaumont—Cissy Fitzgerald, Hale Forde.

Universal—Paul Panzer, King Baggot, Ben Wilson, Dorothy Phillips, Violet Mansereau, Harry Benham.

Vitagraph—Earle Williams, Edith Storey, Mary Maurice, Hughie Mack.

Kalem—Marguerite Courtot.

United Film—Christine Mayo.

WALSH ATTENDS.

Governor Walsh arrived at 10:20, accompanied by his brother, Major Thomas F. Walsh, Major William J. Casey, Major W. J. Keville, Captain F. N. Gunby, Captain Charles T. Dukelow, Lieutenant Nat. T. Very, Judge Thomas H. Connelly of Brighton District Court, and Joseph F. Mellyn, the Governor's assistant secretary.

Mayor Curley came at the same time, with Mrs. Curley, Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Daly and Secretary and Mrs. Francis J. Brennan.

The officials were greeted by the movie reception committee and escorted to boxes. The introduction of the film favorites to the ball guests naturally took quite a while. All the stars were warmly greeted by the guests.

Clara Kimball Young, as winner of the AMERICAN'S contest for the most popular woman star, and Francis X. Bushman, winner on the men's side, received particularly warm greetings and the stars who ranked close to them in votes soon found how high they were in popular favor.

The grand march—which did not get under way until 1 o'clock this morning—was led by Governor Walsh and Clara Kimball Young. Following them were Francis X. Bushman and Christine Mayo, Earle Williams and Mary Miles Minter, King Baggot and Viola Dana, Edward Earle and Florence La Badie, Wally Van and Beverly Bayne, and so on through the "reel life" list.

BANQUET AFTER BALL.

The Metro contingent contributed much to the gaiety of the ball with a dozen attractive maids in white trousers, blouses and clown caps, who graced one of the Metro boxes and were tremendously admired. They had a nifty song, to the air of "Bingo," whose chorus ran thus:

"M-E-T-R-O
T-R-O
T-R-O
M-E-T-R-O
And Metro is its name."

There was a "Metro" newspaper, too.

After all the introducing and the grand marching and the contesting they renewed dancing, which was kept up until the big film star banquet in Horticultural Hall. This was starting about 3 a. m. and was scheduled to run until sunrise or thereabouts.

The Boston AMERICAN readers who put in the largest number of votes in the film star contest were guests of the AMERICAN at the ball in private boxes, or reserved seats, according to the conditions of the contest.

They enjoyed the ball tremendously and composed one of the jolliest of the many private parties which participated in the gay affair.

B. Grant, R. W. Drown and G. M. Clark were chairmen, secretary and treasurer, respectively, of the execu- committee of the M. P. E. L., which an the ball.

Boy Arraigned in Shooting of Women

CLINTON, Dec. 2.—Francis Neary, the Lyman School boy who on Wednesday afternoon shot Mrs. Myron S. Wheeler and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Elias Wheeler, at their home in Berlin, was arraigned in the District Court here today, charged with assault with intent to murder Mrs. Myron S. Wheeler. He was taken to the Worcester jail to await trial.

Chancellor to Discuss Peace in Reichstag

By International News Service

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg will discuss the question of peace in the near future at a session of the Reichstag, it was announced today.

Forecasting the statement of the government, the Overseas News Agency issued the following statement this afternoon:

"The imperial chancellor probably will show that the rulers of the countries at war with Germany are still blinded by their belief in Germany's starvation and economic prostration and other illusions, and that, therefore, Germany's peace conditions, which would be dictated by her successes on the whole battle line, would hardly be acceptable and might be interpreted as signs of weakness or weariness of the war."

The Chancellor's statement will be in reply to an interpellation by the Socialists.

"This interpellation," says the Overseas Agency, "is caused by the fact that nobody in Germany understands why our enemies, after their diplomatic defeats and military failures in the Balkans, have not yet begun peace negotiations."

Autoist Upsets Motor Truck and Then Flees

Everett Cummings, who lives on Cambridge street, Woburn, reported to the Woburn police today that his motor truck, laden with flowers, was hit and overturned by a speeding automobile early today; and that the machine then raced away.

He said the car knocked his truck over on its side, scattering the flowers in all directions, and throwing him out. He lighted on a grassy bank and escaped with bruises.

The touring car, he said, contained a man and a woman; [illegible] its headlights were not lighted. He shouted at the chauffeur; but the man backed his machine free of the motor truck, Cummings said, and sped away.

The Woburn police notified surrounding towns to be on the watch for the touring car.

Music a Feature of Anti-Saloon Rally

The Anti-Saloon League has decided that music shall play a part in its campaign for a dry Boston, and at the rally in the Ward 3 wardroom in Charlestown tonight Everett Naftzger, baritone soloist, will sing. Major Dan Morgan Smith will be the principal speaker at the Charlestown rally. Other rallies will be held at the following spots: Park and Tremont streets, Bowdoin square, Roxbury Crossing, corner Gurney street; Dover street and Broadway, South Boston; corner D and Broadway, South Boston; City square, Charlestown; Sullivan square, Charlestown; Hayes square, Charlestown; Peabody square, Dorchester; Codman square, Dorchester; Market and Washington streets, Brighton; Union square, Allston; Castle square, Blackstone square.

Boy Lives Four Days, Surgeons Astonished

LOWELL, Dec. 3.—James Barrett, aged twelve, has astonished surgeons at the Lowell General Hospital by living four days with a compound fracture at the base of his skull. He was riding a horse on the boulevard Sunday, the horse stumbled and the boy was thrown over the horse's neck. He has been unconscious ever since. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barrett, live at No. 94 School street.

Brand Whitlock
says: "I cannot impress you too strongly with my belief in the great efficiency of the relief work now being done in Belgium."
Efficient relief must be prompt
Please HELP us at once.
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The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Massachusetts, Announces
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IN THE CHURCH EDIFICE
Falmouth and Norway Sts., Back Bay, Boston
FRIDAY EVENING, Dec. 3, 1915
at Eight o'clock

ATTEMPTS TO WRECK U. S. ARSENAL

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and; that on September 19 it was discovered that the fire extinguishers at the shrapnel plant had been tampered with, and that three weeks ago, when the officers' golf club house caught fire, the arsenal fire department was helpless because all its hose had been cut to ribbons.

FEAR PLOT TO FIRE, BY CHEMICAL, LINERS CARRYING MUNITIONS

By International News Service.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The Department of Justice is investigating an alleged plot to destroy all coal-burning munition ships. The plot, it is alleged, originally contemplated destruction of British naval vessels. It has since, it is declared, spread to include transatlantic steamers carrying munitions of war.

The many recent fires in the bunkers of steamers lend color to the report that such a plan exists. According to the story, a chemical mixture has been invented by a Dublin chemist. This, when applied to coal, is not visible. Coal so treated will, after a ship is at sea, burst into flames and burn with a heat intensity of 5,000 degrees of Fahrenheit. Such fires are naturally attributed to spontaneous combustion.

William Offley, division superintendent of the Department of Justice, is conducting the inquiry here.

Special attention is being paid to the French line steamer Rochambeau, now coaling in North River. On the Rochambeau's last eastern trip from this port a mysterious fire was discovered in her bunkers.

A score of government police and private detectives closely watched the coaling of the French liner yesterday.

MME. BAKHMETEFF'S NAME BROUGHT INTO CROWLEY CHARGES

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 2.—The Providence Journal says today:

Two startling developments in the case of C. C. Crowley, arrested last week for illegal complicity in explosions on the Pacific coast, have been laid before the Department of Justice in Washington by the Providence Journal. One of these concerns the German consul-general at San Francisco, F. Bopp, who, the Journal asserts, has received within the last two months nearly $400,000 for work in connection with the destruction of wharves, ships and munition plants in San Francisco, Tacoma and Seattle.

The other phase of the case appears in a letter signed by Crowley, and sent by him to Mme. Bakhmeteff, wife of the Russian ambassador in Washington. This communication was a direct attempt to obtain credentials from the Russian embassy and from the Red Cross for the shipment of cases of dried fruit on steamers trading between Tacoma and Vladivostok, which cases, it is alleged, were really meant to contain explosive bombs wired to quantities of dynamite.

FIST BATTLE IN COURT AFTER ARGUMENT

TAUNTON, Dec. 2.—A verbal attack during an argument in a court case resulted in a fistic encounter between former Representative Clarence L. Barnes of Mansfield and Boston, a former Yale athlete, and Chairman Ernest L. White of the Mansfield Board of Selectmen.

The case was a hearing before a master in which Barnes was counsel for the plaintiff and White was a defendant. White resented words Barnes used in his argument, and after the hearing had been concluded White received a blow in the mouth and fell to the floor. White's counsel, Joseph Warner, ran for a doctor and two stitches were taken in White's lip by Dr. Emily Murphy.

Barnes is well known among Yale men and once made a home run which won a game from Harvard.

Walker to Leave Prison Tomorrow

WETHERFIELD, Ct., Dec. 2.—Following a conference at the State prison today between William F. Walker, the New Britain bank embezzler who was set free by the board of parole yesterday after serving a sentence of seven years and four months out of a total of one to twenty years for absconding with $615,000 funds of the New Britain Savings Bank, and the Connecticut Baptist convention and his brother-in-law and sister, State Referee John F. Coats and Mrs. Coats of New Britain, it was decided that Walker would not leave the prison today.

Arrangements are to be made whereby he can be taken out of the State to some point not disclosed, for rest and recuperation. Mr. and Mrs. Coats refused after an hour's conference with Walker to disclose any of these plans.

Liner Cretic Has Sailed for Boston

The White Star liner Cretic sailed today from Naples for Boston, the line's offices here heard. Her sailing was delayed two days for some unknown reason.

Christmas Fair in Charlestown

A Christmas fair and festival will be opened tonight in the First Congregational Church, Charlestown, and will continue until Friday night. Mrs. Charles Talmage, wife of the Rev. Dr. Talmage, pastor of the church, will direct the festival.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
BELL-ANS
Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

—$1 reward will be paid to the first person reporting any exaggeration in our advertising.
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OUR PLAN
Everything here must sell quickly or we lose
25% after 12 selling days
50% after 18 selling days
75% after 24 selling days
Goods given away after 30 business days.

A Christmas Windfall For Men

Just Bought! Entire Stock Of MEN'S Goods Of W. B. Sweatt, Brockton, Mass.

On account of ill-health Mr. Sweatt has retired from business. The stock is comparatively new and strictly FIRST quality. A big proportion of the merchandise bears nationally known trademarks and our FIRST prices afford rare bargain opportunities.

Here are some of the lots and quantities that went on sale today:

797 "Monarch" Shirts, 71¢
823 "Arrow" Shirts, $1.08
178 "Arrow" Shirts, $1.37
120 Flannel Shirts, 71¢ and $1.08
1140 Silk Neckties, 35¢
300 Silk Neckties, 55¢
428 pairs Perrin Gloves, $1.15
133 Night Shirts or Pajamas, 71¢
31 High Grade Pajamas, $1.08
1012 Knit Shirts or Drawers, 35¢
425 Knit Shirts or Drawers, 67¢
285 Knit Shirts or Drawers, $1.10
250 Knit Union Suits, 79¢
164 Knit Union Suits, $1.10
150 Knit Union Suits, $1.45
479 Silk Neckties at 19¢
630 Pairs "Triple Toe" Sox, 17¢
13 Coat Sweaters, $3.15
55 Leather Belts, 65¢
87 Leather Belts, 35¢
200 Overalls or Jumpers, 35¢
304 Silk Handkerchiefs, 33¢
101 "Guyot" Suspenders, 25¢
189 Pairs of Silk Sox, 33¢
Drinking Cups, 25¢ - 50¢
Toilet Cases, 50¢ and 75¢
9 Silk Umbrellas, $3.25
30 Umbrellas, $2.75
20 Gloria Umbrellas, 71¢
13 Walking Sticks, $2
12 Walking Sticks, $1.25
Cuff Links at 35¢ 50¢ $1
Scarf Pins at 35¢ 50¢ $1
Suit Cases, 25¢ to $7.50
10 Professional Bags, $2.25
9 Travelling Bags, $5.75
2 Travelling Bags, $9.50
14 Travelling Bags, $4.35
300 "Guyer" Hats, $1.38 $1.95
300 "Wilson" Hats, $1.38 $1.95
360 Men's Caps at 35¢
115 Men's Caps at 55¢

Here are four typical examples of the hundreds of bargain lots for WOMEN ready Friday:—

Suits at $7.95
Mixtures and plain whipcords in navy or brown; many silk lined; some button-high models; women's and misses' sizes.

Dresses $6.95
Small lot of clever new party dresses of taffeta, combined with white chiffon, bolero effect; pink, light blue, maize, white, women's and misses' sizes.

Coats at $5.90
Small lot of heavy mixture coats for street or auto wear, button high to neck styles, pockets, belts, large buttons; women's and misses' sizes.
—and new crepe de chine waists, $1.59.

Hundreds of Bargain Lots Daily

MORSE FURNITURE CO.
This Extra Large Upholstered Rocker
Only $4.98
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Made of solid quartered oak beautifully golden finished or mahogany finished birch as preferred, upholstered in imitation Spanish leather. Full spring seats, open construction. One of the most wonderful values ever offered by this or any other store. Must be seen to be fully appreciated.

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FIFTY CENTS A WEEK
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3 Rooms Completely Furnished	4 Rooms Completely Furnished	5 Rooms Completely Furnished
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We Replace All Articles Damaged or Destroyed by Fire—Our Customers Are Protected While Paying for Goods.
MORSE FURNITURE CO. 827 Washington St. Corner Common St.
"THE HOUSE THAT BARGAINS BUILT"
D. A. McMAHON, Prop.

SAY WEALTHY JUDGE IS HELD PRISONER

Preliminary steps have been taken in Chicago for the removal from the New England Sanitarium in Melrose of Arba N. Waterman, the well-known Chicago jurist, whose failure in health led to his retirement from the bench in the Circuit and Appelate Courts of Illinois.

This preliminary action was the removal of Carleton Hudson Betts from control of the $100,000 fortune of the feeble ex-judge, after an investigation conducted by the Chicago Bar Association, through its specially appointed commissioner, Edwin A. Munger.

At the hearing in the probate court in Chicago, Mr. Munger charged that Betts, who was known to the sanitarium people as "Mr. Hudson," had virtually imprisoned the judge in the sanitarium, where he was deprived of his liberty and permitted to see no one without the written permission of "Mr. Hudson".

It was also represented to the jury that Betts had come from New York to the First National Bank Building in Chicago, and became associated with Judge Waterman. Although he represented himself as a lawyer, it was alleged that he had never been admitted to the bar.

After a deliberation of only fifteen minutes, the jury returned a verdict removing Betts from control of the judge's estate, and appointing as conservator the Chicago Title and Trust Company, at the request of the Chicago Bar Association.

Dr. W. A. Ruble of the New England Sanitarium in Melrose today declared that Mr. Waterman is not a prisoner at the Melrose institution. He said any such statement is a deliberate falsehood. Dr. Ruble said:

"Judge Waterman came here and asked for admittance, saying he wished to be protected from all inquisitive people who called there to see him. He asked us this in a medical sense."

"It is not true that all callers for Mr. Waterman are denied permission to see him. Mr. Waterman is free to come and go. He is suffering from senility. He placed himself entirely under our care. He has been here two or three months.

"'Mr. Hudson' came here with Judge Waterman, and it is not true that anybody who wishes to see Mr. Waterman must have a letter from 'Mr. Hudson.'

"Mr. Munger, who called, was permitted to see Mr. Waterman after he presented a card to one of the attendants and made known his business. If Mr. Munger says that Judge Waterman is imprisoned at the sanitarium he is mistaken. Any talk of that nature is a deliberate falsehood."

There is a certain quality possessed by some men which we call vitality.

It is being greatly alive—living each minute in full and keen consciousness—using the senses constantly and to full capacity.

Men of vitality, living as they do more fully than others, exercise their acute faculties in choosing the accessories of their daily lives and the means for their pleasure and comfort.

It is among such men as this that Rameses, "The Aristocrat of Cigarettes," finds its greatest and most constant demand.

Your vitality will respond instantly to its distinctive fragrance.

And nobody ever changes from Rameses.

Business Notice.

Acute Articular Rheumatism

Relieved By Anti-Kamnia Tablets

The exact cause of rheumatism is unknown, though it is generally believed to be due to an excess of uric acid in the blood. It may be also said with equal truth that no remedy has been found which is a specific in all cases. In fact the literature of rheumatism shows that there are but few drugs which have not been given a trial. In the hands of one observer we find that a certain drug has been used with the utmost satisfaction; others have found the same remedy to be a great disappointment. All physicians however agree that every method of treatment is aided by the administration of some remedy to relieve the pain and quiet the nervous system and Dr. W. S. Schultze expresses the opinion of thousands of practitioners when he says that Anti-kamnia Tablets should be given preference over all other remedies for the relief of the pain in all forms of rheumatism. These tablets can be purchased in any quantity. They are also unsurpassed in headaches, neuralgias and all pain. Ask for A-K Tablets.

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ENGALITCHEFF SUES PRINCESS FOR SEPARATION

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Princess Evelyn Engalitcheff, who has sued for divorce and who is being sued for separation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Prince Nicholas W. Engalitcheff's attorneys have applied to Supreme Court Justice Pendleton to have Princess Evelyn Engalitcheff's petition for divorce heard in the Russian courts. The Prince holds that he and his wife are subjects of the Czar. Accompanying the Prince's application was also a petition that all proceedings in the case be temporarily stayed.

The Princess Engalitcheff based her pending action for divorce on statutory grounds. The Prince has sued for a separation. He urges that the Princess is possessed of an ungovernable temper and was cruel to him.

In her divorce papers the Princess asks for the custody of her young son, Nicholas Vladimir, and for permission to resume her maiden name. The hearing of the Prince's plea to be divorced in Russia will come up on December 6.

German Restriction on 'Freedom of Seas'

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The foreign office publishes a statement which, it announces, was made by the captain of a Swedish steamer to the effect that, before the sailing of a vessel, Swedish customs houses in all cases telegraph to Berlin information of the sailing and that the vessel does not carry contraband, and that all Swedish vessels leaving the Baltic are stopped at the entrance to the sound by German patrol boats, which examine the vessel very carefully. In making public the statement the foreign office appends the following observations:

"The above appears to his majesty's government to merit being brought to the notice of the public as showing how the German government, in those waters where they have an opportunity for displaying naval activity, practice the principle of the freedom of the seas for neutral commerce which they have so loudly accused his majesty's government of violating."

Falls Six Stories in Elevator Well

John Trofansky, twenty, of Fourth street, South Boston, was found lying in the elevator well, after falling from the sixth floor, where he was employed by John J. Birmingham. At the Relief Station it was said he was suffering from potts fractures of both legs, rupture of the lungs and injury to the abdomen. His name was placed on the dangerous list.

BABIES DYING FOR LACK OF PROPER CARE

Two thousand and seven babies less than a year old died last year in Boston, while the best equipped hospital for the care of infants to be found in the United States turned away hundreds of these small sufferers because there was no money to take care of them.

The Infants' Hospital, located next to the Harvard Medical School and the Children's Hospital, has waited for more than a year for a generous-hearted public to endow its wards and beds, that its work of saving the babies of Boston and of Massachusetts might be brought up to its maximum capacity.

More than 800 sick babies were actually turned away from this children's haven during the last twelve months, and it is admitted by leading physicians that many of this large number might have been saved by the care that could have been given them in the hospital had there been beds enough to accommodate them.

The hospital is equipped with every facility for taking care of babies, and a corps of trained nurses is engaged to follow the children into their homes after they have been released in order to insure the best of care for many months.

The trustees of the hospital state that $30,000 a year is needed to run the institution to its capacity, that $300 will support a bed for a year, and that $6,000 will endow a bed. The hospital has now only $6,594 yearly income from endowment. The hospital asks the public to remember the babies this Christmastime.

New England Firms Get Big Shoe Orders

The Italian government has placed an order for 1,000,000 pairs of army shoes in New England. The successful bidders were the B. A. Corbin & Sons Company of Webster, awarded 350,000 pairs; Fred F. Field Company and Charles A. Eaton Company of Brockton, 300,000 pairs each, and Joseph M. Herman & Co. of Boston, 50,000 pairs.

Church Gets Linen Gift from Mrs. Galt

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church, Brooklyn, has received a box of fine linen handkerchiefs from Mrs. Galt, the President's fiancee. They were sent at the request of Mrs. Stewart, representing the fair committee of St. George's. In the box was an autographed card from Mrs. Galt, reading: "To St. George's Church from Mrs. Norman Galt."

Chelsea Poultry Show Opens.

The annual show of the Eastern Massachusetts Poultry and Pigeon Association, in Congress Hall, Chelsea, will open today.

Mrs. Young Is Honored.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Friends of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, superintendent of Chicago's public schools, celebrated her completion of fifty years' service in school work with a golden jubilee dinner at which she was the guest of honor.

Granite Men File Demands.

The five labor unions connected with the granite trade in Quincy have submitted new price lists to the Granite Manufacturers' Association and the Granite Quarry Owners' Association, to take effect on March 1, 1916.

Diphtheria in Maynard.

MAYNARD, Dec. 2.—Six cases of diphtheria have been reported to the board of health.

The Store That's Filled With the Spirit of Christmas

The Gift of Love and Courtesy **GLOVES** *The Gift of Use and Economy*

The largest assortment of Gloves for your Christmas gift choosing we have ever assembled. The best imported gloves—Even the foreign fur lined gloves, not easy to get these days, have just arrived.

Gloves of the right kind, the kind you'll find here, solve many a gift problem—always welcome and acceptable. Milady never has too many pairs. Delivered in pretty Christmas boxes if so desired.

Prices Always as Low or Lower Than Same Qualities Advertised Elsewhere

In Kid and Leather

Women's One-Clasp Cape Gloves—For street wear, in tan, gray, chocolate and sand shades. Price 1.50
Women's Two-Clasp Kid Gloves—Genuine imported kid, in tan, gray, white and black, also black sewn white and white with black embroidery; a splendid gift value for 2.00
Women's Strap Gloves—In tan, sand, black, and black sewn with white embroidery. A very smart glove for street wear. 8-button length. At.... 2.00
Women's Two-Clasp Neilson Gloves — Overseam and pique sewn, in black, black sewn with white, also tan, gray and brown, at... 1.65, 1.75
Women's Two-Clasp Pique and Overseam Kid Gloves —In the much wanted black, and black sewn with white 1.50
Women's 8, 12 and 16-Button Pique Gloves—In black and black sewn white 2.75 to 4.00
Women's One-Clasp Cape and Pique Gloves—Our leader in value and style, as well as lowness of price, at 1.00
Women's One-Clasp White Doeskin Gloves — A very dressy glove for afternoon wear 1.50
Women's One-Clasp White seam Mocha Gloves—In gray shades, with Paris point and spear point emb. 1.50 to 2.00

Fur or Wool Lined

Women's Fur Lined Gloves—2-clasp mochas, tan or gray, squirrel fur lined; also 1-clasp mittens, squirrel lined 4.50
Women's Rabbit Fur Lined 8-Button Mocha Gloves—Gray and tan, wrist strapped........ 4.00
Women's One-Clasp Rabbit Fur Lined Mocha Gloves—In tan and gray........ 3.25
Women's Mocha Gloves— In tan and gray, one-clasp—silk lined........ 1.50
Women's Fownes One-Clasp Squirrel Fur Lined Cape Gloves........ 6.00
Women's Silk Lined Gloves —1-clasp cape gloves, also 1-clasp gray mocha gloves, outseam sewn, silk lined.. 1.75, 1.85
Women's Angora Gloves—The warmest gloves made; in gray........ 2.75
Women's Woolen Lined Gloves —Two-in-One Cape Gloves, in tan and black, with Lama wool inner glove 3.50
Women's Auto Gloves—In tan and black, seamless knit lined, strap at wrist, at 3.50
Women's Two-Clasp Mocha Gloves—In tan and gray, stocking knit lined, at 2.75
Women's Two-Clasp Cape Gloves—In tan or black, seamless knit lined, long wrist 2.50
Women's Woolen Gloves, from ....50c to 1.50

Our Christmas Glove Certificate is a great convenience when making gifts of gloves when the size is not known for certain.

—and now comes another Christmas message—one of equal interest—on the always practical—always appropriate—always acceptable Holiday Gift—

Handkerchiefs

For Men — For Women — For Children

WE started planning months ago to place before you the most wonderful handkerchief stocks—from the value standpoint—we ever announced for the holidays—and have succeeded. Not unreliable "holiday" offerings, for we do not carry that kind—but finest quality imported handkerchiefs—secured by our buyer in European markets before the advance in prices.

Thousands of them—all styles—all sizes—for all ages—at all prices—plain, pure linen—newest ideas in initials—daintiest of dainty effects in fine hand-embroidered, hand-hemstitched Appenzell—all exclusive designs—some very special holiday boxes, too.

Shopping by Mail

Distance from Boston is no hindrance to your sharing in the special benefits of our Christmas advertising.

Send your wishes by mail or call us on the telephone (Oxford 3200). An experienced buyer will take your order and personally select the merchandise in the different parts of the store.

Your purchases are shipped to you promptly and if possible the same day your order is received here.

Men's Handkerchiefs

Men's Hand-Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, excellent quality linen. Each	50c	to 1.50
Men's Hand-Drawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Each	25c	to 1.00
Men's Colored French Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Each	1.00	to 2.00
Men's Fine French Corded and Tape Handkerchiefs. Each	1.00	to 3.00
Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, many styles to select from, in attractive boxes of six. Per box	75c	to 3.00
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs. Each	50c	to 1.00
Men's Fine Imported Irish Corded and Tape Handkerchiefs. Each	25c	to 75c
Men's Imported Silk Colored Handkerchiefs, always popular, newest colors. Ea.	1.00	to 1.50

Women's Handkerchiefs

Women's Appenzell Embroidered Handkerchiefs, with the popular ¼ and ½-inch mitred hem. Each	1.00	to 3.00
Women's Fine Duchess Lace Handkerchiefs, very daintiest conceits. Each	3.00	to 100.00
Women's Armenian Lace-Edge Handkerchiefs, new and beautiful effects. Each	25c	to 1.50
Women's New Spoke Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, ½-inch hem. Each	25c	to 1.00
Women's One-Corner Hand-Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Each	12½c	to 20.00
Women's Madeira Hand-Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Each	35c	to 1.00
Women's Initial Handkerchiefs in a large variety of styles. Each	12½c	to 1.00
Women's Plain Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Each	12½c	to 2.00

Two Very Popular Novelties

Hand-worked Madeira Handkerchief Cases in dainty and artistic designs. Men's Linen Initial Handkerchiefs—attractively arranged in fine leather initial cases.

Exceptional Handkerchief Values

This is one of the few retail stores in America that had a buyer of Handkerchiefs in the European market this year—that's why we can sell Handkerchiefs—now—at prices less than otherwise possible.

Handkerchiefs for Children of All Ages

Boys' Handkerchiefs, Each **12½c** to **50c**
Boys' Initial Handkerchiefs. Per box of 6 ....**75c**
Misses' Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Each ....**12½c** to **1.00**
Children's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Each **12½c**
Dutch design, always popular, good quality, embroidered, 2 grades. Box of 3 ....**35c**
Box of 3........**50c**
Also a large assortment of designs at, each **12½c**
Colored Handkerchiefs. Box of 3....**15c**
Box of 6 ....**25c**
White Embroidered Handkerchiefs, corner initial. Per box of 3........**25c**
Solid Colored Border Handkerchiefs with colored letter. Per box of 3..**25c**
The new Silk Kewpies. Box of 3....**35c**
Colored Handkerchiefs, border initial, **6 for 25c**

Jordan Marsh Company

KIPLING DESCRIBES LIFE IN BRITISH SUBMARINE

"THE FRINGES OF THE FLEET."

IV.

By Rudyard Kipling.

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THE ships await us above
And ensnare us beneath.
We rise, we lie down, and we move
In the shadow of death.

The ships have a thousand eyes
To mark where we come——
And the mirth of a sea-port dies
When our blow gets home.

IV.
SUBMARINES.

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I was honored by a glimpse into this veiled life by a boat which was merely practising between trips. Submarines are like cats. They never tell whom they were with last night, and they sleep as much as they can. If you board a submarine off duty you generally see a perspective of foreshortened fattish men laid all along. The men say that except at certain times it is rather an easy life, with relaxed regulations about smoking, calculated to make a man put on flesh. One requires well padded nerves. Many of the men do not appear on deck throughout the whole trip. After all, why should they if they don't want to? They know they are responsible in their department for their comrades' lives as their comrades are responsible for theirs. What's the use of flapping about? Better lay in some magazines and cigarettes.

When we set forth there had been some trouble in the fairway and a mined neutral, whose misfortune all bore with exemplary calm, lay over on a sandbank near by.

"Suppose there are more mines loose?" I asked.

"We'll hope there aren't," was the soothing reply. "Mines are all Joss. You either hit them or you don't. And if you do they don't always go off. They scrape alongside."

"What's the etiquette then?"

"Shut off both propellors and hope."

We are dodging various crafts down the harbor when a squadron of trawlers came out on our beam, at that extravagent rate of speed which unlimited government coal always leads to. They were headed by an ugly, upstanding, black-sider buccaneer with twelve pounders.

"Ah! That's the king of the trawlers. Isn't he carrying dog, too! Give him room!" one said.

We were all in the narrow harbor mouth together.

"Here's my youngest daughter. Take a look at her!" someone hummed as a punctilious navy cap slid by on a very near bridge.

"We'll fall in behind him. They're going over to the neutral. Then they'll sweep. By the bye, did you hear about one of the passengers in the neutral yesterday. He was taken off, of course, by a destroyer and the only thing he said was:—'Twenty-five time I 'ave insured, but not this time . . . . 'Ang it!'"

The trawlers lunged ahead toward the forlorn neutral. Our destroyer slipped past us with that high-shouldered terrier-like pouncing action of the newer boats, and went ahead. A tramp in ballast, her propeller, half out of the water, threshed along through the sallow haze.

"Lord what a shot," someone said enviously. The men on the little deck looked across at the slow-moving silhouette. One of them, a cigarette behind his ear, smiled at a companion.

Then we went down—not as they go down when they are pressed (the record I believe is fifty feet in fifty seconds, from top to bottom) but genteelly to an orchestra of appropriate sounds, roarings and blowing, and after the orders, which come from the commander alone, utter silence and peace.

"There's the bottom. We bumped at fifty—fifty-two!"

"I didn't feel it."

"We'll try again. Watch the gauge and you see it flick a little."

It may have been so, but I was more interested in the faces, and above all the eyes, all down the length of her. It was to them, of course, the simplest of manoeuvres. They dropped into gear as no machine could; but the training of years and the experience of the year leaped up behind those steady eyes under the electrics in the shadow of the tall motors, between the pipes and the curved hull, or glued to their particular gauges. One forgot the bodies altogether—but one will never forget the eyes or the ennobled faces. One man I remember in particular. On deck his was no more than a grave, rather striking countenance, cast in the unmistakable petty officer's mould. Below as I saw him in profile in charge of a vital control, he looked like a Doge of Venice; the prior of some hardly-ruled monastic order; an old-time Pope—anything that signifies trained and stored intellectual power utterly and aesthetically devoted to some vast impersonal end. And so with a much younger man, who changed into such a young monk as Frank Dicksee used to draw. Only a couple of torepdo men, not being gear for the moment, read an illustrated paper. Their time did not come till we went up and got to business which meant firing at our destroyer and, I think, keeping out of the light of a friend's torpedoes.

The attack and everything connected with it is solely the commander's affair. He is the only one who gets any fun at all—since he is the eye, the brain and the hand of the whole—this single figure at the periscope. The second in command heaves sighs and prays that the dummy (there is less trouble about real ones), will go off all right or he'll be told about it. The others wait and follow the quick run of orders. It is, if not a convention, a fairly established custom, that the commander shall inferentially give his world some idea of what is going on. At least, I only heard of one man who says nothing whatever, and doesn't even wriggle his shoulders when he is on the job. The others solliquize, etc., according to their temperament, and the periscope is as revealing as golf.

Submarines nowadays are expected to look out for themselves more than at the old practices when the destroyers walked circumspectly. We dived and circulated under water for a while and then rose for a sight—something like this:—"Up a little; up! Up still! Where the deuce has he—Ah! (half a dozen orders as to helm and depth or descent, and a pause broken by a drumming noise somewhere above which increases and passes away). That's better! Up again! (This refers to the periscope). Yes. Ah! No, we don't think! All right! Keep her down. Damm it! Umm! That ought to be nineteen knots . . . . Dirty trick! He's changing speed. No, he isn't. He's all right. Ready forward there! (A valve sputters and drips, the torpedo men crouch over their tubes and not to themselves. Their faces have changed now). He hasn't spotted us yet. We'll just—more helm and depth orders, but especially helm. Wish we were working a beam tube. Ne'er mind. Up! (A last string of orders). Six hundred. He doesn't see us! Fire!"

The dummy left; the second in command cocked one ear and looked relieved. Up we rose; the wet air and spray spattered through the hatch. The destroyer swung off to retrieve the dummy.

"Careless brutes destroyers are," said one officer. "That fellow nearly walked over us just now. Did you notice?"

The commander was playing his game out over again — stroke by stroke. "With a beam tube I'd ha' strafed him amidships," he concluded.

"Why didn't you then?" I asked.

There were several excellent reasons which reminded me that we were at war and cleared for action, and that the interlude had been merely play. A companion rose alongside and wanted to know whether we had seen anything of her dummy.

"No. But we heard it," was the short answer.

I was rather annoyed because I had seen that particular daughter of destruction in the stocks only a short time ago and here she was grown up and talking about her missing children!

In the harbor again, one found more of them, all patterns and makes and sizes, with rumors of yet more and larger to follow. Naturally their men say that we are only at the beginning of the submarine. We shall have them presently for all purposes.

Now here is the mystery of the service.

A man gets a boat which for two years becomes his very self.

His morning hope, his evening dream,
His joy throughout the day.

With him is a second in command, a cox, an engineer and some others. They prove each other's souls habitually, every few days, by the direct test of peril, till they act, think and endure as a unit, in and with the boat. That commander is transferred to another boat. He tries to take with him if he can, which he can't, as many of his other selves as possible. He pitches into a new type twice the size of the old one, with three times as many gadgets, an unexplored temperament and unknown leanings. After his first trip, he comes back clamouring for the head of her constructor, of his own second in command, his engineer, his cox and a few other ratings. They, for their part, wish him dead on the beach, because last commission with So and So, nothing ever went wrong anywhere. A fortnight later you can remind the commander of what he said, and he will smile large, wide navy smiles. She's not, he says, so very bad—things considered, barring her five-ton torpedo derricks, the abomination of her wireless, and the tropical temperature of her beer lockers. All of which signifies that the new boat has found her soul and her commander would not change her for battle cruisers. Therefore, that he may remember he is the service and not a branch of it, he is, after certain years, shifted to a battle cruiser, where he lives in a blaze of admirals and aiguilettes, responsible for vast decks and cathedral-like flats, a student of extended above water tactics, thinking in ten of thousands of yards instead of his modest but deadly three to twelve hundred.

And the man who takes his place straightway forgets that he ever looked down on great rollers from a sixty-foot bridge under the whole breadth of Heaven, but crawls and climbs and dives down conning towers with those same waves wet on his heels, and when the cruisers pass him, tearing the deep open in half a gale, thanks God he is not as they are and goes to bed beneath their distracted keels. For it is written:

"How in all time of our distress
And in our triumph, too,
The game is more than the player of the game
And the ship more than the crew."

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"But submarine work is cold-blooded business."

(This was at a little conference in a green curtained "wardroom" cum owner's cabin.)

"Then there's no truth in the yarn that you can feel when the torpedo is going to get home?" I asked.

"Not a word. You see it get home or miss as the case may be. Of course, it's never *your* fault if it misses. It's all your second in command."

"That's true, too," said the second. "I catch it all round.

"That's what I am here for."

"And what about the third man." There was one aboard at the time.

He generally comes from a smaler boat—to pick up real work if he can suppress his intellect and doesn't talk "last commission."

The third hand promptly denied the possession of any intellect, and was quite dumb about his last boat.

"And the men?"

"They train on too. They train each other. Yes, one gets to know 'em about as well as they get to know us. Up topside a man can take you in—take himself in—for months, for half the commission perhaps. Down below he can't. It's all in cold blood—not like at the front, where they have something exciting all the time."

"Then buming mines isn't exciting?"

"Not one little bit. You can bump at 'em. Even with a Zepp"———

"Oh, now and then"—one interrupted, and they laughed as they explained.

"Yes, that was rather funny. One of our boats came up slap underneath a low Zepp. Looked for the sky, you know, and couldn't see anything except this fat shining belly almost on top of 'em. Luckily it wasn't the Zepp's stinging end. So she went to windward and kept just awash. There was a bit of of a sea and the Zepp had to work against the wind. (They don't like that.). Our boat sent a man to the gun. He was pretty well drowned of course, but he hung on and helf his breadth and got in shots where her could. The Zepp was strafing bombs about for all she was worth, and—who was it?—Macartney, I think, was shifting and heaving at the quickfirers between dives and, naturally, everyone wanted to look at the performance, so about a quarter of a ton of water flopped down below and—oh, they had a Charley Chaplin time of it! Well, somehow Macartney managed to rip the Zepp a bit and she went to leeward with a list on her. We saw her a fortnight later with a patch on her port side. Oh if Fritz only fought clean there wouldn't be half a bad show. But Fritz can't fight clean."

"And we can't do what he does—even if we were allowed to," one said.

"No, we can't. 'Tisn't done. That's all. We have to fish Fritz out of the water, and we dry him and dust him and give him cocktails and send him to Donnington Hall."

"And what does Fritz do?"

"He sputters and clicks and bows. He has all the correct motions, you know, but, of course, when he's a prisoner you can't tell him what he really is."

"And do you suppose Fritz understands any of it?" I asked. "No. Or he wouldn't have *Lusitanised*, and then he wouldn't have been Fritz. This war was his first chance of making his name, and chucked it all away for the sake of showin' off as a 'silly . . of a Gottstrafer."

And then they talked of that hour of the flight when submarines come to the top like mermaids to get and give information; of boats whose business it is to fire as much and to splash about as aggressively as possible; and of other boats who avoid any sort of display—dumb boats watching and relieving watch, with their periscopes just showing like a crocodile's eyes, at the back of islands and the mouths of channels where something may some day move out in procession to its doom.

SAY PARENTS REFUSE FOOD TO GIRL OF 11

Marguerite Meille, eleven years old, declared today in the Waltham District Court that she was refused fod by her parents, and that she was forced to live on what she could pick up from garbage buckets. Her testimony was corroborated by neighbors.

Marguerite was arraigned in the juvenile session as a neglected child. The case, brought to the attention of the court by the Waltham Social Service League, was continued until tomorrow for a further hearing.

According to an agent of the League, the girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luigi Meille, and lives on Spring street, Waltham. When she was less than a year old she was brought from Italy by her grandmother, and her parents did not come here until six years later.

Detain Bay State Woman on Way to See Wilson

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 2.—Fearful lest she might reach her destination, railroad police took from a train here a woman who said she was Mrs. Lillian Stumpf of Springfield, Mass., and who declared she was on her way to see President Wilson about the capture of "Black-handers."

The latter, she insisted, were pursuing her. She had a ticket for Washington and made her mission known to the conductor.

When this city was reached, two railroad detectives took her from the train, but did got get her into an ambulance until after a lively struggle.

At police headquarters she put up another battle and it required four patrolmen to put her in a padded cell.

Chief Cleary is detaining her pending word from the police of Springfield. It is thought the woman is mentally unbalanced.

FEAST OF LIGHTS OBSERVED BY THE JEWS

The Jewish Feast of the Maccabees, known as Hanukah or the Feast of Lights, started today. The feast is marked with services in the synagogues and the lighting of candles in Jewish homes. One candle will be lighted each night until the night of the end of the feast, which lasts a week.

The celebration commemorates the victories of the Maccabees, the family of Jewish heroes, who by resisting the invasion of the Syrians 2,181 years ago, established the practical independence of the Jewish state in Palestine.

The feast is also being celebrated by a Zion flag week for the benefit of the Jewish national fund. A large committee is at work in Boston offering for sale Zion flags.

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Sketch 3. Women's Embroidered Serge Dresses $9.50

Pretty jacket dresses, embroidered with silk braid and glints of tinsel. Vestee of white Georgette crepe.

Sketch 4. Women's Dresses of Fine Serge $5

Full skirt—black taffeta vest, white taffeta collar. Blue, green and black serge.

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Women's $1.00 Silk and Wool Vests Friday Only 69c High neck and long sleeves, slight seconds.

Women's Washable Gloves Friday Only 79c One clasp cape, pique and P. X. M. sewn, imperial backs, in tan and ivory shades.

Children's 59c Gloves Friday Only 39c Wool lined mocha suede gloves and mittens, in gray and tan.

$1.00 White Doeskin Gloves Friday Only 69c One clasp, pique and P X M sewn, imperial backs, will wash perfectly.

Women's $1.00 Silk Stockings Friday Only 65c Pure thread silk, black and colors, extra spliced heel and toe and reinforced garter tops.

Children's 25c Stockings Friday Only 18c Fine ribbed mercerized lisle stockings, double heel and toe, black only.

$1.25 Black Granite Cloth Friday Only 69c 54 inches wide, all pure wool, etamine weave, medium weight, permanent finish.

59c Storm Serge Friday Only 29c Extra heavy, in two shades of navy, brown, copenhagen, garnet and black.

$15.00 Fur Trimmed Suits Friday Only $9.75 Elegant all wool gabardine suits effectively trimmed with fox fur collar and front, latest winter model, jacket lined throughout with fine quality yarn dyed satin, all sizes, in navy, black and brown.

$2.50 Blanket Bath Robes Friday Only $1.55 Made round collar, straight sleeve, turn back cuff, heavy cord and tassel, in a good assortment of colors, sizes 36 to 46.

Children's $3.50 Chinchilla Coats Friday Only $2.69 Lined throughout, velvet collars, single and double breasted, some have belts, others in patch pocket model; 2 to 6 years.

Furnace Scoops Friday Only 49c Good quality steel blades, handy furnace size (10½x15 inches) with straps securely riveted to D grip handle.

Wall Papers 12½c to 30c Values Friday Only 9c Roll Thousands of rolls of fine quality wall paper, suitable for any room or hall, an unusual value.

$25 Axminster Rugs Friday Only $16.95 Size 8.3x10.6, a variety of patterns to select from, either small figure or a medallion, a splendid wearing rug.

$3.00 Juvenile Suits Friday Only $1.99 Sizes 2½ to 7 years, the new Tommy Tucker or Jr. Norfolk styles in corduroys or pretty woolen mixtures.

$4.50 Chinchilla Overcoats—Sizes 2½ to 10 years, full double breast polo model, belted all around, fancy worsted lining, in brown, gray and navy. Friday Only $2.99

79c and $1.00 Blouses—Collar attached styles, Bell blouses and other better grade blouses, new fall styles, neat light stripes, a few slightly mussed from display. Friday Only..... 49c

$2.00 Heavy Worsted Sweaters—Gray and navy, roll collar style with pockets, sizes up to 34, in extra weight, good quality worsted. Friday Only $1.59

Newly Trimmed Hats Friday Only $3.00 Made to sell for $5.00 Owing to lack of space we are compelled to reduce stock, all new hats, newest ideas and colors, of velvet, hatter's plush and satin, stylishly trimmed with flowers, ostrich fancies and ribbons.

Up to $2.98 Velvet Hats—Large, medium and small hats, tricones and turbans, in black, brown and a few colors. Friday Only........... 98c

Up to $1.98 Odd Ostrich Feathers and Fancies—Not every color, but plenty of the good colors. Friday Only.... 79c

Ostrich Fancies — Odds and ends, very good values 19c

Special for Friday Many headaches are caused by eye strain. See our Registered Optometrist. He will fit you to proper glasses that will relieve all eye strain.

$3.50 Gold Filled Rimless Eye Glasses or Spectacles, with periscopic lenses. Friday Only $1.59

$10 Sanford Axminster Hall Runners Friday Only $7.50 Copies of Oriental rugs, in color and design, your choice of two sizes 3x10.6 or 3x12.

Linoleum Friday Only 39c Sq. Yd. 2 yards wide, cork and linseed oil linoleum, large line of patterns to choose from, perfect goods.

Men's $15.00 Overcoats Friday Only $10.00 All made of absolutely all wool materials; ¼ satin lined and satin sleeve lining. The new loose back model so much in demand this Fall. A wonderful value.

$4.00 & $5.00 Smoking Jackets Friday Only $2.99 Dark grey and brown, two-tonecloth with contrasting collars, cuffs and pockets, silk cord trimmings, all sizes for men up to 42 chest measure.

Women's $2.50 to $4.00 Boots Friday Only $1.79 221 pairs, an accumulation of many pretty button and lace styles in patent and dull leathers, ends of broken size lines taken from stock and marked for Friday clearance. (No Mail Orders or Exchanges).

Ash Sifters Friday Only $1.69 The rotary style, as pictured, well made from galvanized iron, with handle and cover; fits ordinary size barrel. Sold without barrel.

Brocaded Satin Venetians Friday Only 49c 32 inches wide, handsome designs and colorings, in a complete line of colors, permanent satin finish.

$2.50 Broadcloth Friday Only $1.69 56 in., imported quality, beautiful, permanent finish, sponged and shrunk, in three shades of navy, dark brown, dark green and black.

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Men's $4.50 Sweaters Friday Only $2.89 Shaker knit, cut coat style, V neck, in navy only, sizes 36 to 46.

Men's Night Robes Friday Only 71c Flannelette, cut good and full, sizes 16 to 19.

$1.00 Silk Velvets Friday Only 49c Plain and figured, good assortment of colors.

$1.00 Satin Messaline Friday Only 69c 36 inches wide, beautiful heavy all silk quality, in light and dark colors.

$1.50 Black Taffeta Friday Only 89c 36 inches wide, splendid quality, perfect black, made for the fine dressmaking trade.

69c Coat Hangers Friday Only 45c Made of dresden ribbon, trimmed with rosettes of narrow ribbon.

10c Unbleached Sheeting Friday Only 6½c 40 inches wide.

$1.25 Cocoa Fibre Door Mats Friday Only 79c Just the mat you need at this season of the year, size 17x26.

75c Door Panels Friday Only 39c Irish point, size 32 x 46, mounted on fine grade French net, in white only, assorted designs.

$4.50 Axminster Rugs Friday Only $3.50 Size 36 x 72 inches—a very deep, high pile rug, in splendid patterns and colors.

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MEYER LONDON TO URGE NEW PEACE PLAN

By International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Representative Meyer London, the New York Socialist member whose district on the East Side of that city probably is more affected by the European war than any other congressional district in the United States, wants this government to lead in a move to stop the war.

He completed today a joint resolution dealing with the subject which he will introduce in the House as soon as it convenes Monday. London wants a conference of neutral nations called to tender their good offices to the belligerents. But he goes further than Henry Ford, Jane Addams or other advocates of such a plan. London has completed principles which he wants discussed in the congress and submitted to the nations at war.

The resolution as completed carries an appropriation of $100,000 to be used by the President in defraying the expenses of the conference. It says in part:

"Resolved, That it is the judgment of the Senate and House that a durable peace can be established if the following principles shall be made the basis of discussion in said congress of neutral nations:

"First—Evacuation of invaded territory; second, liberation of oppressed nationalities; third, plebiscite to the populations of Alsace-Lorraine, Finland and Poland as to their allegiance or independence; fourth, removal of political and civil disabilities of the Jewish people wherever such disabilities exist; fifth, freedom of the seas; sixth, gradual concerted disarmament; seventh, establishment of an international court of arbitration with the commercial boycott as a means of punishment for disobedience."

Suspended Chauffeur Is Fined for Driving

Louis A. Brown, the Waltham chauffeur whose auto killed Frederick B. Leavitt in Newtonville square, November 19, was fined $5 in the Waltham District Court today, on a charge of operating without a license. Brown's license was suspended following the accident, and it was charged today that he had driven a car since this suspension. Brown was held not at fault in the Leavitt death.

Weymouth Woman Sues.

Mrs. Lucy G. Eddy of Weymouth brought suit in Dedham today for a divorce from Gayton Eddy, whom she married forty-two years ago in Providence.

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KITCHENER FOR BIGGER FORCE IN BALKANS

ATHENS, via Paris, Dec. 2.—Representatives of Austria and Germany have informed the Greek government, according to the newspapers, that if the demands of the quadruple entente are granted the central powers will "cease to consider Greek Macedonia as friendly territory."

By PERCY THOMAS,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—In a conference between Earl Kitchener and King George at Buckingham Palace, the War Secretary is said to have informed the King that the allies could win in the Balkans, but that an army three times as large as the present force would be necessary at the earliest possible moment.

Official announcement of the return of Earl Kitchener and his resumption of the duties of War Secretary was made in the House of Commons this afternoon by Premier Asquith, who added that Earl Kitchener had attended a meeting of the war committee.

Kitchener considers it essential that every available gun and every possible ounce of ammunition be sent into the Balkans to match the superb artillery resources of the Teutons and Bulgars.

From present indications the Balkans will be the scene of violent fighting for some time to come.

On the political side, Kitchener's visit apparently has been less successful than could have been wished. Greece has given certain assurances, but her answer to the second note of the allies was conditional and by no means conclusive.

KITCHENER'S DECISIONS.

Although there was no official announcement as to Earl Kitchener's decisions, it was reported on reliable authority today that the war secretary has made up his mind on the following points as a result of his tour of inspection in the Near East:

That a great effort be made to win back Serbia.

That efforts be made to humble Bulgaria and break the direct line of communication between Berlin and Constantinople.

That greater pressure be brought against Rumania and Greece, principally Greece.

That Russia open a strong offensive movement in Southern Galicia.

BULGARS TO AID TURKS.

The capture of Prisrend, the last stronghold of the Serbians, has released a Bulgarian force of 50,000 men, which is now moving southward to reinforce the army engaged with the Anglo-French troops on the Greek frontier.

At the same time it is reported that Bulgarian troops have been sent to the Callipoli peninsula to help the Turks. This is confirmatory of the information that the allies will continue the Dardanelles campaign despite its rumors to the contrary.

The British believe the Dardanelles campaign should be continued for these reasons:

1—To prevent Turkish troops from being released for a campaign against Egypt.

2—To prevent the Turks from sending soldiers into Europe to fight the allies.

East of Monastir the Anglo-French troops are being hard pressed by the Bulgarians, and at some points along the Cherna River the allies have fallen back until they are only a few miles from the Greek border.

Vienna claims that the invasion of Montenegro is proceeding as planned, despite the severity of the weather, the guerilla tactics of Montenegrins and the difficulty of transporting food and munitions. Montenegrins defending Plevlje are now at grips with the invaders.

King Peter, the aged monarch of Serbia, has fled into northern Albania on his way to Montenegro. King Peter, like King Albert of Belgium, is a ruler without a country.

DOUBT CZERNOWITZ CAPTURE.

Reports that the Russian troops invading Bukowina have captured Czernowitz, the capital, have not been confirmed. Some time ago it was expected that the Russians would strike a hard blow in southern Galicia in an endeavor to open a path through Hungary to the Danube. There were only three alternatives for the Russians in their endeavor to help Serbia:

First—The opening of a port of invasion on the Black Sea coast of Bulgaria with warships.

Second—Passage through Rumania with the consent of that country.

Third—The forcing of a path through Hungary from Bessarabia to the Danube.

Bulgaria has announced that her campaign against the Serbs is finished. It is up to that country now to devote all her attention to the Anglo-French forces.

"Serbia will win with the aid of the allies or die fighting. In a short time Serbia will be in a position to hurl 200,000 men against our enemy."

The foregoing statement was made at Rome today by M. Ristich, Serbian minister to Italy. It followed the official announcement of Baron Sonnino, the Italian foreign minister, that Italy would send troops into the Balkans to help the Serbs.

SEE THE ILLUMINATION OF THE STATE HOUSE

EVERY NIGHT THIS WEEK

Wilson Barred As Peacemaker Says Harden

In the current issue of a magazine appears the following article by Maximilian Harden:

Will the Kaiser ride triumphantly into Constantinople and then inform President Wilson that he is ready to consider peace?

The Kaiser may say that the man who addressed a mighty monarch in the terms of a schoolmaster is not the man to mediate.

President Wilson can never be accepted as an intermediary. The President is subject to attacks by Britain, France and Russia as well as by Germany; by Roosevelt as well as by Bryan.

The Kaiser's visit to the Sultan may indicate that the German frontier no longer being in danger he will consider peace favorably. But not one enemy of Germany is discouraged. All are sure, and rightly sure, as Germany of victory.

No one can see the end. What is happening in Russia demands special attention. Far from being crushed, which we in our stupidity thought was the case, Russia has now 7,000,000 men in the field and 5,000,000 in training, while her railway to an ice-free port is almost ready.

In March or April or May Russia will begin an offensive with 10,000,000 or 12,000,000 men well equipped by the united efforts of Russia, Britain, America and Japan.

Of revolution in Russia there is no sign.

BRITISH LOSSES UP TO NOV. 9 510,230

By International News Service.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—British losses up to November 9 totalled 510,230 in killed, wounded and missing. This figure is given by Premier Asquith today in a written reply to a parliamentary question. Losses suffered by England in November are unofficially estimated to have raised the total to nearly 600,000. The premier gave military casualties on the various fronts as follows:

IN FRANCE.

Killed or died of wounds—Officers 4,620, men 69,272.

Wounded—Officers 9,754, men 240,283.

Missing—Officers 1,584, men 54,446.

MEDITERRANEAN FRONT.

Killed—Officers 1,504, men 21,530.

Wounded—Officers 2,864, men 70,148.

Missing—Officers 256, men 10,211.

OTHER THEATRES.

Killed—Officers 227, men 2,052.

Wounded—Officers 337, men 5,587.

Missing—Officers 76, men 3,223.

Losses in the naval and marine forces in all fields were as follows:

Killed—Officers 559, men 9,928.

Wounded—Officers 161, men 1,120.

Missing—Officers 52, men 310.

88 Vessels of British Sunk in November

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Reports received by the Board of Trade during November tell of the sinking of fifty-three British steamers with a total net tonnage of 61,072, with the loss of 646 lives.

In the same period the loss was reported of thirty-five sailing vessels of 4,977 net tonnage, with six lives.

So far as the figures show, twenty of these steamers were sunk by German warships and ten by mines, but 495 of the lives lost were on steamers sunk by German warships.

These figures do not record the total casualties for November, but merely the reports received, some of which relate to previous months.

Mme. Homer Sings to Aid Settlement

Madame Louise Homer, the prima donna, Miss Ada Sassoli, the harpist, and Timothee Adamowski will be the soloists tonight at the concert to be given at the Copley-Plaza for the benefit of the Frances E. Willard Settlement.

To Lecture on Venice.

An open meeting of the Chelsea Woman's Club will be held tonight, with an illustrated lecture on "Venice, Queen of the Seas," by Henry Turner Bailey.

PEABODY, UP ON AUTO BREACH DISCHARGED

Francis Peabody, millionaire attorney and president of the Safe Roads Automobile Association, the first to be complained of in connection with the new police semaphore rules, was before Judge Brackett today in the Municipal Court charged with failing to stop his car when signalled by a crossing officer.

Mr. Peabody was discharged after a hearing. Judge Brackett said he was satisfied that Mr. Peabody "used strong language to the officer," but that he was not before the court on that charge.

Patrolman Durgin of the Back Bay station testified that children were trooping to school at the junction of Boylston and Exeter streets at 8.20 a. m. on November 19. He said he signaled Mr. Peabody to stop, but that he did not stop at once.

Because of Mr. Peabody's safe road activities his case attracted interest. Mr. Peabody denied that he swore. He said he stopped on the signal, but that Patrolman Durgin and Patrolman Lee, who corroborated Durgin, entered into a conversation after the signal was given. Mr. Peabody supposed the dropping of the policeman's arm automatically released him. He admitted asking the officer why he didn't attend to his duty and tell him when to start.

"I promptly complied with the signal. I have been very much interested in traffic rules and have discussed them with Police Commissioner O'Meara. I did not use the words the officers mentioned."

Mr. Peabody's lawyer, got Patrolman Durgin to admit that he did not keep his eyes on the Peabody machine all the time after signaling. A young man from a bank testified Mr. Peabody brought his car to a dead stop, but mentioned something about "half."

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ALL DAY FRIDAY — $1.59 Blanket BATH ROBES 98c. Striped blanket, medium weight, deep sailor collar, satin trimmed, heavy wool girdle, all sizes, wonderful colors. Second Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Women's Up to $7 DRESSES $2.49. Including taffetas, corduroys, serges and silk poplins; white organdie collar and cuffs; majority are small sizes. Second Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Men's and Young Men's $10 and $12 Suits $6. In fancy cassimeres and neat mixtures. Third Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Men's $2.50 Coat Sweaters 98c. Close weave worsted faced, medium weight, very durable; mostly oxfords; sizes 36, 38. Third Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Children's $2.49 Coats $1.69. Of chinchilla and cheviots, large assortment of styles, neatly trimmed with self or velvet collar, lined throughout, sizes 2 to 6 years. Second Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — TABLE OIL CLOTH Half Price. The 25c grade, but has slight imperfections, mostly in the patterns, which in no way hurt the wear and to the casual observer it looks same as perfect goods; choice of good light colors. Half price, 2 yds. 25c. Basement

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Women's $2 Sweaters 89c. Fancy weaves, semi-fitted, roll collar, in black, white or gray, sizes 36 and 38, an odd lot for quick clearance. Second Floor

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20c Turkish Towels—Medium size, good heavy quality, hemmed, pink borders ... 17c

29c Turkish Bath Towels—Extra large heavy quality, bleached; plain and fancy borders 21c

Fancy Towels in Boxes—Six handsome fancy Turkish towels, worth 39c each; box of 6 for 1.50

Main Floor.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Sale of $4 Shoes
For Women $1.98 — 1000 pair of Women's shoes. Including the season's fashion sensation—the Gypsy boot. There are twenty other models, all sizes.
For Men $2.69 — 1000 pair of Men's Goodyear Welt Shoes. New English low heel model, and six other styles, all sizes, all leathers.
Headquarters for Christmas Slippers
Main Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — 29c Coal Hods 19c. Black steel, good size, will wear for years. Only 200 to sell at this price. No mail nor telephone orders. Basement.

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Women's Up to $15 SUITS $5.95. Fall and Winter models, of fine serges, poplins, mixtures and gabardine, tailored and military collars, some fur trimmed. Second Floor

Thursday—Friday—Saturday—3 Days—Main Floor

50c Collar & Cuff Sets 24c. Hand embroidered pique, fine quality.

Women's 15c Hosiery 9c. Black and white cotton, reinforced heel and toe.

Women's 29c Fibre Silk Hosiery 17c. Black, white, all popular shades.

Men's 89c Union Suits 53c. Ecru ribbed, medium weight, long sleeve, ankle length.

Children's 50c Kid Mittens 39c. Black fur tops, with fleece lining, tan kid, snap at wrist.

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Vacuum Washer, at 25c. 59c Galvanized Wash Tub.... 39c. Together they make a handy combination for small articles. Basement

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Misses' and Small Women's $22.95 Suits $14.95. In poplins, gabardines, serges, and all wool mixtures, all sizes; fur, braid or velvet trimmed. Second Floor

Men's $1 & $1.25 Gloves 55c. In mocha, suede and cape, some have been resewn; every sale final.

Ribbon Remnants. 39c and 49c Values, Yard 29c. Light or dark grounds, for fancy work, 5 to 6 inches wide.

Direct Importation From Japan. Military Brushes Half Price. Best bristles, ebony and solid backs. Values 69c to $4 per set. Prices are 39c, 79c, 98c, $1.25, $1.69 and $1.75

89c Sterling Deposit Sugar and Cream Set 49c. Large size, good glass.

Men's $1 & $1.50 Shirts 69c. 3 for $2.00. Soft or stiff cuffs, pleated or plain, wanted materials.

ALL DAY FRIDAY — 89c Night Gowns 59c. Of nainsook, chemise style, prettily trimmed with wide lace insertion, ribbon run and edge to match, all sizes. Second Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — $1.50 Blouses In Gift Boxes 98c. Fine sheer lawn, organdie or voile, attractively trimmed with wide insertions of imported embroidery combined with dainty laces. Second Floor

$1.50 Genuine Leather Hand Bags $1.29. Various good new styles, black and colors.

$1.50 Gold Filled Bracelets 99c. In dainty designs for women and children.

$5 Dress or Steamer Trunks $3.49. Heavy brass trimming, single tray, sizes 30 to 36.

Women's $1 Box of Handkerchiefs 69c. 3 in Box. All linen, daintiest embroidered corners.

ALL DAY FRIDAY — 79c Corset Covers 49c. Of allover embroidery, others of fine nainsook, handsomely trimmed with lace and embroidery combined, all sizes. Second Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — $25 Fur Set $16.95. Red fox, wood fox, black Manchurian wolf (chien), kit fox, coney and natural wolf, all new shapes, flat and round muffs, scarfs animal double furs. Second Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Women's $5 Separate Skirts $1.95. Serges, corduroys, poplins, all new flare models, some made with yoke and pockets, in black, green, brown, and blue; all sizes. Second Floor

$4.98 Cut Glass Fern Set $2.98. Including fern dish, combination cutting, fern and 10-inch silver plated plateau. Basement

ALL DAY FRIDAY — Boys' $3 and $3.50 Suits $1.98. Junior Norfolks, Billy Boy, Tommy Tucker and Middy styles, in light, dark and medium colors, sizes 2 to 8 years. Third Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — $1.50 Bacon Special Corset 79c. Heavy coutil, medium and low bust, long hip, with 6-inch gore of elastic in front, 4 heavy garters attached. Second Floor

ALL DAY FRIDAY — $3.00 Silk Petticoats $1.98. Of messaline and taffeta, made with circular flare flounces, fancy plaited styles in large assortment of colors. Second Floor

COLLECT AND REDEEM LEGAL STAMPS AT BACONS'—MORE FOR YOUR MONEY—MORE FOR YOUR STAMPS. USE OUR TUNNEL ENTRANCE.

'UNFIT BABY' DOCTOR SHOWS MENACE OF DEFECTIVES IF ALLOWED TO LIVE

BABY BOLLINGER

BY HARRY J. HAISELDEN, M. D.

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CHAPTER VI.

"The Case of Crazy Mary."

Read today the terrible menace a defective, which is allowed liberty, becomes to the public. Dr. Haiselden goes back into his boyhood to point out a case which, under his ideas of handling defectives, could never recur.

My thumb was down for Baby Bollinger. Death, with his cruel trident, was poised for the blow. In its net of incurable deformities and mental helplessness the child lay awaiting the stroke.

And I had given the sign.

The roar of the populace had not yet reached my ears. It did not matter. My decision was irrevocable.

I have said it was no hasty judgment of mine that pronounced the death verdict. The accumulated experience of twenty years in cases of defectives—children and adults—were back of that decision.

Had I not known the utter misery and hopelessness and black wretchedness of the life of the defective I would not have condemned Baby Bollinger. I would have let the child live in the hope that things might be better some day. Like others who have considered the problem since it has been made the property of the world I would have imagined that through the shadow of this little life some time in the future some ray of light might force its way.

Cursed Him for Giving Life.

But I know the defective, the feeble-minded, the imbecile, the idiot, the malformed. They have dragged their weary, useless lives close to mine. I have studied them.

I have heard their piteous plea to have their painful, monstrous lives cut short—no matter by what means. I have heard the curse of men whose lives I have prolonged through ill-judged acts of mine.

Come back with me through the years and see something of what I have seen. Come step by step with me from the first case I ever knew and try to appreciate my attitude when at last I was confronted with the momentous problem of the little Bollinger baby.

I was eight years old when my notice was first attracted to the sad lot of the weak-brained and incomplete. The remembrance of it has stuck to me through all these years.

I know now what should have been done in the case of "Crazy Mary." I did not know then. No one in our town—the pleasant little country town of Plano—knew what the real humanity would have been toward this miserable familiar figure in our small town life.

Every town has its "Crazy Mary." The startling and shocking thing about it is that the "Crazy Marys" are on the increase.

You know the type—pitifully poor crack-brained, physically weak, wild and haggard in appearance. The butt of small boys, not at all suspecting how cruel they were! How many times have I seen her fly through the streets, her gray hair flying in the wind, brandishing her arms, and screaming at the crowd of young brutes that pursued her with sticks and stones—running until at last she reached the little shanty that housed her, and there barricading herself against the juvenile siege.

In saving drowning persons there is often danger of strangulation from winding arms and gripping hands. What is done then? The drowning man or the drowning woman is knocked senseless with the clenched fist and then, no longer a menace to life, is dragged to shore.

Thus the little town I lived in struck at "Crazy Mary," knowing through instinct that she was a menace to normal healthy life. It was brutality—and yet it was Nature throwing out a defence against a dreaded foe. Thus our town hounded this unfortunate woman, whose only crime was that her brain was feeble.

We of Plano, to save ourselves, beat off "Crazy Mary."

And then suddenly the worm turned. Suddenly "Crazy Mary" avenged herself for the years of wrong. She struck out blindly and her revenge was a terrible one.

She brought into the world a little baby.

Town Wild With Rage.

The news that "Crazy Mary" had become the mother of a little girl went through our town like wildfire. The wrath of our little plain-living, God-fearing, church-going community, was a terrible thing. We knew—I was only a boy of eight, but this thing was freely discussed in our homes and we rehashed it all during the recesses at school—we knew that a terrible wrong had been done. We knew that our safety and happiness was menaced.

"Crazy Mary" had been one of the town jokes. She had been laughed at, pitied, abused.

Now she was no longer a joke.

Our citizens were ignorant of such matters. The "defective" was not even known. The great problem of the mentally unbalanced had not been touched upon then as it has been since. Instinct was our only friend, and yet its warning was loud and shrill.

And immediate investigation was begun. Someone had to be punished. No one ever was punished. Investigations then were much as they are today—all wind and bluster, no real results.

And there sat Mary day after day in her crazy shack with the baby in her arms. Here was something sinister and shocking. For in all probability the child had the ape-like qualities of the mother. And its children in turn.

The thought was not even expressed. But the error of it was felt.

In that shack with nobody to tend her but the crazy mother, the crazy child grew. And the town regarded that shack as a place of pestilence—as it really was.

"Crazy Mary" from then on was shielded as jealously as the fair-haired daughter of Puritan parents—even more so because it was realized that this espionage came too late.

Today I know what should have been done in the case of "Crazy Mary"—a slight operation and her menace would have been at an end. I have so operated many times in recent years.

In doing so I have saved the world many Baby Bollingers. What I did for Baby Bollinger was one step further forward in the direction of safety for humanity.

I compare the spread of imbecility to the spread of a fan—to the spread of rabies in a city street. I know of nothing to illustrate this better than the story of the Jukes family, carefully compiled to give a picture of the remorseless progress of a hereditary taint. The history of the Jukes was written by R. L. Dugdale in 1895. It goes back to pre-revolutionary times, and comes down almost to the present day.

The Jukes family lived in the State of New York, on the banks of one of the many small lakes. They lived as many such families live in out of the way places—herded together promiscuously, and intermarrying without a thought for the dire consequences.

There were six girls in the family, born between 1740 and 1770. Their parentage is uncertain. One of them moved out of the country, but the history of five generations from the other five degenerate sisters has been traced.

Two Kinds of Cost.

The descendants aggregate 1,200 persons. Of these 709 have been tabulated. Out of these 180 have either been in poor houses or have received outdoor relief to the extent of 800 years—800 years of charity as the result of permitting these five sisters to bring forth their kind. Allowing that the best members of the family have emigrated, it would be a low estimate to say that 80 of the additional 500 are, or have been, dependents, thus adding 350 years to the burden of relief. The aggregate is 260 persons under pauper training—1,150 years of public charity.

Many of the 700 were immoral. A large percentage of the women were women who led lives of a questionable sort.

Let us stop for a minute just to count the actual cost—the financial cost. The other cost cannot be counted—it cannot even be estimated.

In seventy-five years it is estimated this family of 1,200 members cost the State $1,308,000, without reckoning the cash paid for whisky or taking into account the entailment of pauperism and crime upon the survivors in succeeding generations and the incurable diseases, idiocy and insanity growing out of this debauchery.

Consider the story of these five sisters who were inferior. Was it humanity to let their taint go forth to blast the lives of 1,200 descendants? Was that mercy?

Had some man with a high sense of responsibility toward humanity in general prevented this ghastly spread of sin, crime, sickness and insanity—would he have been a friend or a foe of the race?

Which do you prefer—six days of Baby Bollinger or seventy years of Jukes?

Do you wonder that I was disposed to let Baby Bollinger die?

Advertisement.

STOPS FALLING HAIR

This Home Made Mixture Stops Dandruff and Falling Hair and Aids Its Growth.

To a half pint of water add:

Bay Rum ....1 oz.
Barbo Compound ....a small box
Glycerine ....¼ oz.

These are all simple ingredients that you can buy from any druggist at very little cost, and mix them yourself. Apply to the scalp once a day for two weeks, then once every other week until all the mixture is used. A half pint should be enough to rid the head of dandruff and kill the dandruff germs. It stops the hair from falling out, and relieves itching and scalp diseases.

Although it is not a dye, it acts upon the hair roots and will darken streaked, faded, gray hair in ten or fifteen days. It promotes the growth of the hair and makes harsh hair soft and glossy.

At the Old Butler Corner

For Friday and Saturday

Double Legal Stamps
Friday and Saturday Up to 12 O'Clock Noon

Holiday goods are crowding forward in all sections of **"the Busy Store of Little Prices."** All departments have prepared for big sales records tomorrow and Saturday—and this **"Old Butler Corner"** will fairly hum with activity, if one may judge by **the extraordinary underselling** planned. Here's only a handful of the many specials.

Toyland
IS NOW OPEN ON THE 2d FLOOR

Two Busy Days Planned for the Coats, Suits and Furs *On the Fourth Floor*

We're making history in these sections nowadays. Judging by the rapid selling, women are making comparisons elsewhere and doing their buying here! There's snap, style, quality and true economy, all yoked in one, in every one of these Friday and Saturday specials.

15.00 Zibeline Coats .... 9.98 — Made of fancy striped zibeline, plush convertible collar, turn-back cuffs, wide belt, extra full sweep 9.98

$20 Gabardine Suits .... 15.00 — Many fur trimmed models included. This is a braid and velvet trimmed style, convertible military collar ... 15.00

12.00 Zibeline Coats .... 7.98 — Smart belted model for the miss and small women, convertible collar, turn-back cuffs, large patch pockets, warm and serviceable 7.98

20.00 Pebbled Cheviot Coats 15.00 — Swagger yoke model, fur trimmed collar, deep cuffs, wide all-around belt, body lined with guaranteed satin ... 15.00

30.00 Lustrous Plush Coats ... 19.75 — Military model, flare skirt, collar and cuffs trimmed with opossum fur, guaranteed satin lining 19.75

Fur Specials

Iceland Fox Sets—Muff is large polo ball shape; scarf, animal style. (See cut). Per set, Friday and Saturday 9.98

Large Natural Opossum Muffs—Football shape, lined with Skinner satin, ruffled ends 12.98

Women's Caracul Coats—Brocaded satin lining, sizes 34 and 36 only. Special 15.00

Women's Caracul Coats—Hudson seal collar and cuffs, band of six-inch Hudson seal trimming, brocaded silk lining. Regular $65.00 value. (Sizes 36, 38) 39.50

Imitation Ermine Neck Scarfs—Animal style 2.49

Choice of the House

Trimmed Hats

$7.50

Former Prices $10 to $35

This includes all pattern hats, also all high class models in white; in fact you take your choice from our extensive stocks at $7.50.
On the 2nd Floor

Men's Ties

Full and elegantly made, open end, 4-in-hands, in a wonderful variety to select from. Compare them with any 50c and 55c ties in the city. Friday and Saturday on the street floor, choice only.

25c

Shirts

The style and quality you'd ordinarily pay $1.25 for. All sizes. Splendid variety of patterns and guaranteed fast colorings.

69c

Boys' and Girls' Dept. On the Fifth Floor.

Boys' 7.50 Coats, in all-wool chinchillas and Scotch mixtures. Polo style or belted back, also the new mannish Balmaroon, all lined with flannel or fancy checks ... 4.98

Boys' 6.00 Mackinaws, newest Norfolk model with patch pockets, good variety of plaids, sizes 8 to 18 yrs. Fri. and Sat. ... 4.49

Boys' 4.00 Extra Pant Suits in smart gray and brown tweed effects, patch pocket model, well tailored; sizes from 7 to 16; see illustration. Special 2.65

Girls' 6.98 and 7.50 Coats, made from all-wool zibelines, mixtures, chinchillas, boucles and cheviots, plush and fur-trimmed collar and cuffs; sizes 6 to 14 yrs. 3.98

Girls' 5.00 All-Wool Serge Dresses, pretty trimmed models with full plaited skirt; 6 to 14 years 3.25

Girls' Serge Middy Dresses, laced with red silk lacings and full plaited skirt; 6 to 14 years .. 98c

Mail Orders Delivered Free

Boys' 3.00 Suits, 2½ to 16 years *1.98*

Boys' 59c Wool Hockey Caps . *39c*

Boys' 35c and 59c Flannel Blouses .... *25c and 44c*

Boys' Chinchilla and Velvet Hats *49c*

Friday and Saturday Specials in

Gloves

Including many sensible gift suggestions on the street floor.

Women's 1-Clasp Washable Cape Gloves—White only; black stitching. Special value, Friday and Saturday,

$1.25

Women's 8-Button Strap Wrist Kid Gloves—Grey or Ivory; all sizes 2.00

Women's Genuine Mocha Gloves—1 clasp, in new sand shade, black embroidered backs 1.25

Boys' Near Seal Gauntlet Gloves—In black only 50c

500 Pairs Women's Boots

Gun with black cloth tops, stitching; black or white laces, high heels, also calf button boots with low heels. All sizes, 2½ to 7.

Regularly $2.50.

Friday and Saturday... $1.59

In the Bargain Basement Shoe Dept. (Mail Orders Delivered Free)

For Infants and Children

Five Unusual Opportunities for the Week-End on the Third Floor.

1.50 Infants' Angora Bonnets, trimmed with ribbon rosettes. Sizes 12 to 16, as illustrated. Special at 98c

5.00 Children's Narrow Wale Corduroy Coats, lined and interlined, all around belt, collar fur trimmed; colors navy and brown; sizes 2 to 6 years. Special price 3.98

1.00 Children's Corduroy Toques, trimmed with silk tassel; all colors. Special... 49c

1.50 Children's Beacon Blanket Bath Robes, trimmed with satin ribbon and cord; sizes 2 to 6 years. Special 98c

Odd lot of Children's White French Dresses, slightly soiled; values up to 1.50. All marked to one price.... 49c

Toyland Now Open on the Second Floor

Double Legal Stamps Friday and Saturday Up to 12 O'Clock Noon

The Tremont Stores. 90 Tremont St.

CASCARETS SELL TWENTY MILLION BOXES PER YEAR

Best, safest cathartic for liver and bowels, and people know it.

They're fine! Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy or constipated.

Enjoy life! Keep clean inside with Cascarets. Take one or two at night and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feling grand. Your head will be clear, your tongue clean, breath right, stomach sweet and your liver and thirty feet of bowels active. Get a box at any drug store and straighten up. Stop the headaches, bilious spells, bad colds and bad days—Brighten up, Cheer up, Clean up! Mothers should give a whole Cascaret to children when cross, bilious, feverish or if tongue is coated—they are harmless—never gripe or sicken.
—Advertisement.

Where Pure Foods Sell at ⅓ Less

The Great Quality Stores of the Ginter Co. Specials for This Week Only

BUTTER 31c lb — Finest Quality Creamery. Received Daily.
EGGS Fancy Fresh Western 35c dz — Choicest Quality Warranted Eggs. Doz. 32c

30c Coffee Lb. 20c — "Golden Rose" Rich Blend Old World Coffee. 30c Quality Elsewhere
60c Teas Lb. 35c — "Golden Rose" Teas, Formosa, Oolong, English Breakfast, Mixed or Orange Pekoe Ceylon

Flour Sale 'Gold Medal' or 'Ceresota' This week only. Price cut Bag 83c Bbl. 6.69
Corn "Golden Rose." Finest Quality Baby Maine Corn. Sweet, Creamy, Tender. 15c Value Elsewhere. Doz. 1.25 Can 11c
Sugar Finest, Pure Granulated (Limit 10 Pounds) Lb. 6c
Peerless Milk Can 7½c
Fels Naptha Laundry Soap 5 Bars 19c
Minute Tapioca Pkg. 7½c
Catsup Blue Label or Snider's Pt. Bot. 17c
Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour Pkg. 9c
Peas Fancy, Sweet, Small, Tender. Wrinkled. 12c Value Can 8c
Tomatoes Standard, Red Ripe, Large Solid Fruit Can 9c
Cocoa "Golden Rose." Purest, Digestible. LB. CAN 29c
Rice Fancy Whole Head Thoroughly Cleaned Lb. 8c
Macaroni "Golden Rose" Imported Style. Lb. Pkg. 8c
Bacon Finest Sugar Cured Strip Bacon. 28c Val. Lb. 21c
Laundry Starch 3-Lb. Pkg. 11c
Peaches Curfew Calif. Lemon Cling Can 16c
Lard Pure Cut From Tub Lb. 12½c
Seeded Raisins Lb. Pkg. 10c

Ginter Co. Wine Merchants

Special Sale—This Week. Only the Oldest and Purest Wines Here

Wines Pure California Port, Sherry, etc. Bot. 25c
Wines "Santa Teresa" Port, Sherry, etc. Bot. 29c
Port Fine Old Tarragona, Imp't'd. Bot. 49c
Sherry "Panza" Fine Old Spanish Imp't'd. Bot. 49c
Port 12 Years in Wood, Old Rich Oporto Bot. 89c
Sherry Old Duff Gordon Finest Imported Bot. 89c
Champagne "Trouville" Sec. ½ bot. 70c Bot. 1.20
Champagne "Great Western" ½ bot. 85c. Bot. 1.50
Roessle Premium Lager Beer Doz. 80c
Harvard Green Label Beer Dz. 99c
Stout Guinness', P. & T. Bottling, Nips 10c ½ Bot. 15c
Ale Bass, Burke's or McMullen's Pt. 18c, Qt. 28c

The Ginter Co

Free Delivery Most Nearby Points—$3 Groceries, $2 Liquors

2 Union St., Cor. Elm Opposite Markets
16 Canal St. Opposite Haymarket Square
163 Summer St., South Terminal
495 Washington St. Bet. West & Temple Pl
45 Bromfield St. No Liquors Sold in This Store
The Ginter Co.'s Products also on sale at C. B. Brown Co., Inc. 559 Washington St. Adams House
Also the Specialty Shop, Inc. 122 Tremont St.

Watch For My Papa!

You know who *I* am; *Martha* Sunshine!

Well, my papa is George Washington Sunshine and *I* think he's the best papa that ever lived.

He tells such interesting stories and wears such beautiful clothes.

And he's coming *Next Sunday* to visit boys and girls—think of that!

The rest of the family of

Free Dolls

will be tickled to pieces to see him—and so will *you*.

My Papa has just told me the *most wonderful secret* and I've just been dancing with joy.

I've promised not to tell it, but you will hear it *Next Sunday*.

Tell *your* Papa that you want *Next Sunday's American*. Then you will have Papa Sunshine, his beautiful clothes, *secret* and all!

Be *sure* you don't forget.

My papa is coming.

FREE with NEXT SUNDAY'S AMERICAN

12 PROMOTIONS IN BIG POLICE SHAKE-UP

With the opening today of the new Morton street police station, Dorchester, one of the biggest shake-ups in the history of the police department went into effect.

The general orders issued by Commissioner O'Meara provides for twelve promotions. These comprise one new captain, three lieutenants and eight sergeants. The order also provides for the transfer of thirty-four patrolmen.

Lieutenant James J. Walkins of Brighton is the new captain. He has been assigned to headquarters, succeeding Captain Dailey, who goes to the newly opened station.

Sergeants James McDevitt of the Hanover street station, Jeremiah N. Mosher of the Lagrange street station and Edward H. Mullen of the City Prison are the new lieutenants.

McDevitt goes to the District Attorney's office, Mosher to the Court square station and Mullen to West Roxbury.

The new sergeants are former Patrolmen Joseph L. A. Cavagnoro, Thomas K. Towle, James H. Egan, John F. Concannon, Joseph McKinnon, Dennis Kerrigan, Patrick J. Mahoney and Mounted Officer Harry N. Dickinson.

The following lieutenants have been ordered transferred: Rufus G. Fessenden from Roxbury Crossing to Morton street; Albert F. Lovell from Roxbury Crossing to Dudley street; George E. Guard from Dudley street to Roxbury Crossing; Philip O'Neil from Field's Corner to Morton street; John J. Rooney from the District Attorney's office to Hanover street; William J. Hennessey from West Roxbury to Roxbury Crossing; Francis J. Mulligan from Court square to Boylston street.

King George Better.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—For the first time since his return to England after his accident in France, King George yesterday left the palace and visited Queen Mother Alexandra on the occasion of her birthday.

SAVE YOUR HAIR! 25-CENT BOTTLE STOPS DANDRUFF

Every bit of dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

Try this. Your hair appears glossy, abundant, wavy and beautiful.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful. For sale by Riker-Jaynes and all reliable druggists.—Advertisement.

LADIES! DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

Use Grandma's Sage Tea and Sulphur Recipe and Nobody will Know.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and abundant. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is mussy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a 50 cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get this famous old recipe which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and abundant.—Advertisement.

THIS IS
ELECTRICAL
PROSPERITY
WEEK

VISIT THE "EDISON
LIGHT" STORES

SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

MISS SAUVEUR, A DEBUTANTE

MISS ELIZABETH BURGESS DINNER HOSTESS

MISS HORTENSE SAUVEUR

She made her debut Tuesday evening at the Cambridge Boat Club. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sauveur of No. 20 Elmwood avenue, Cambridge.

One of the smart debutante functions of the season took place at the Cambridge Boat Club, Tuesday evening, when Miss Hortense Sauveur, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sauveur of No. 20 Elmwood avenue, Cambridge, entertained a large group of friends and was presented by her parents.

Among the girls who assisted at the tea table were: Priscilla Thorp, Margaret Thayer, Bettina Savage, Elisabeth Eliot, Grace Richards, Adelaide Poor, Helen Cushing, Leslie Cobb, Rosamond Eliot, Charlotte Smythe, Rachel Winlock, Mary Greenough, Isabella Sinley, Dorottchia Fremont-Smith, Margaret Trumbull, Marion Graves, Barbara Fiske, Martha Taylor, Amy Browne and Anne Gulick.

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Miss Elizabeth Burgess, one of the season's debutantes and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Burgess of Berkley street, is among the dinner hostesses tomorrow evening who will take her guests to the Webster ball, which is to be one of the most brilliant debutante events of the Winter. Miss Burgess will entertain fourteen of her young friends.

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Mrs. Robert Gould Shaw will open her Commonwealth avenue home for a course of seven talks on "Citizenship," to be given by Mrs. Marion Booth Kelley. The initial talk comes today.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Ayer will not return from the Newton country place to their town home at No. 395 Commonwealth avenue for at least another month. Mrs. George S. Patton, who was Miss Beatrice Ayer, left for California yesterday, where she will join her husband, Lieutenant Patton, U. S. A., now stationed near the Mexican border.

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At the Women's City Club tomorrow Miss Zona Gale will be tendered a luncheon. Mrs. Charles Sumner Bird will preside, and among the guests will be Miss Anna Fuller, Mrs. Zueblin, Mrs. Edmund Billings, Miss Mary C. Crawford, Mrs. Irving Curtis, Miss Mabel B. Ury and Mrs. True Worthy White.

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"The Amateurs" will present "The Rainbow" again tonight in Whitney Hall, Brookline. Among the favorites on this amateur stage are Miss Margaret Withington, Miss Edith Faxon, Miss Edith Kellogg, Miss Margaret Stoddard, Miss Isabelle Coolidge and Miss Ella R. Shull.

Man Locked in Saloon Is Found Snoring

Through some strange mischance, Patrick Golden was locked in the barroom of J. D. Lynch & Co. at No. 59 Hanover street last night. The bar was well-stocked. The proprietors opened up this morning and found Golden snoring on the floor. He was arrested on a charge of drunkenness.

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear, and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.—Advertisement.

FIGHT TO SAVE TEACHER WHO CUT THROAT

Miss Maude E. McClure of Lynn, who taught in the John A. Andrew school in South Boston, is expected today to recover from the self-inflicted gash in her throat, according to the physicians of the Brockton Hospital, unless pneumonia develops.

She told the physicians that she used a razor which she bought in a Brockton store. Then she walked toward North Easton. When out of the city, she said, she cut her throat. All day long she wandered in the woods, her windpipe nearly severed. That night she slept in an old ice house.

It was nearly twenty-four hours after she cut her throat that she entered the home of George Bigney, No. 333 Torrey street, Brockton, and asked for assistance. She was sent to the Brockton hospital.

The physicians were surprised that she lived so many hours without having her wound treated. It was learned that her windpipe was nearly severed, and she missed the jugular vein only by a hair's breadth. The physicians believe that the cold air caused the blood to coagulate quickly, thus partially closing the wound.

Miss McClure had been teaching at the John A. Andrew school, South Boston, since 1906, commuting daily from Lynn from the home of her father and married sister, in the Chesterfield apartments, No. 12 West Baltimore street. John E. McClure, her father, conducts a store at No. 314 Chatham street, and the family formerly lived at No. 312 Chatham street, in the same building with the store.

Miss McClure has been suffering from a mental disorder for several months. She started the present school year at the South Boston school, but was obliged to get a leave of absence when the term was only a week old.

Artillery Duel on West Front Lighter

PARIS, Dec. 2.—The continued artillery duel along the front diminished in violence last night, the War Office announced today. The following communique was issued:

"In the course of the night the artillery conflict was kept up with less intensity in various sectors, particularly in Artois, in the region of Brettencourt, in the region of Frise-Fay, Valley of the Somme, and in Champagne.

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PREPAREDNESS PLAN PUSHED AT HARVARD

Harvard students who favor the formation of a Volunteer Battalion hope that General Leonard Wood will sanction their program of study and that President Lowell, who disapproves of one part of the plan, will be won over.

The plan of the members of the Preparedness committee is to have three hours weekly given over to military training, two of which are to be devoted to drill and one to a lecture. President Lowell, while heartily in favor of the hour of weekly lecture, is said to be against the drill program. Two undergraduates, yet to be selected, are to unfold their plan to General Wood on Saturday for his approval.

It took Harvard less than ten hours to enroll the four hundred men which General Wood asked for and the prospects of at least as many more men volunteering before Friday evening, when the registration books close, are promising. General Wood told the undergraduates interested in the formation of the battalion that if 400 men were enlisted, he would endeavor to have a special officer detailed to drill them and to have the men's equipment supplied by the War Department.

Foremost among the undergraduates interested in getting the students to enroll has been Archie Roosevelt, son of Colonel Roosevelt. Archie not only was the first man to volunteer, but also got fifty other men to sign up. Quentin Roosevelt registered independent of his brother. Another undergraduate to record his earnest belief in preparedness was C. Huntington Jacobs, whose poem, "Gott Mit Uns," was criticised by Professor Kuno Meyer of the University of Berlin. Sam Felton, the varsity crew manager, Jimmy Lowell, cousin of President Lowell, Thacher Nelson, composer of the prize poem "Belgium," and Westmore Willcox of the varsity football team also enrolled.

The Preparedness committee will meet tonight, discuss the practical problems of their plan and instruct the two delegates who are to confer with General Wood on Saturday.

Call Meeting of Suffrage Council

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The executive board of the National Woman Suffrage Association today issued a call for a meeting of the Executive Council here December 13, the day before the opening of the forty-seventh annual convention. Two representatives from each State suffrage association will attend.

Wilmington Man Wounded in War

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Rudolph Stours of Wilmington, Mass., is named among the wounded in France in the latest casualty list issued here.

A MOTORMAN HAD STOMACH TROUBLE

Boston Man Relates How He Never Received Relief Until He Took Plant Juice.

When the stomach, liver and kidneys are overtaxed with the poisonous matter they can't get rid through the proper channels, and pass it on through the blood and system, resulting in costiveness, indigestion, dyspepsia, headache, backache, sleeplessness, sluggish mind, nervousness, cold feet, night sweats, etc., Plant Juice, the new herbal system tonic, acts like a miracle, purifying the blood, washing out the poisonous matter and correcting diseased conditions of the stomach, liver and kidneys.

Daily local people are testifying in no uncertain terms as to the benefits they have received from Plant Juice, in illness of long standing. One of the most recent is that of Mr. Bernerd McGoldrick, who resides at No. 9 Lowell Terrace, and is employed by the Boston Street Railway Company as motorman, who states:

"For about 9 years I have suffered with stomach trouble, bad indigestion and dyspepsia, gas on my stomach which gave me great pain; was all bloated, had palpitation of the heart and was so nervous and restless I could not get any sleep at night. I had to be very careful about what little I could eat, as it gave me such distress, and never was able to eat any breakfast. I had a hard lump in the pit of my stomach all the time, tongue was coated and I tried all kinds of remedies, but got no relief whatever. An engineer, who had been cured by Plant Juice, advised me to try it. I did so and to my great surprise it has completely cured me. My stomach is now in fine condition, I can eat anything, sleep well, have no more pains and am glad to recommend Plant Juice as a great medicine."

The Plant Juice Man is at the Liggett Drug Co.'s store, corner of Washington and Avon Streets, where he is daily meeting the local public and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy.—Advertisement.

Suggestions for Xmas Presents

The Classified Advertising Columns of the Boston American contain many good suggestions for acceptable yet inexpensive Xmas gifts.

HOUGHTON & DUTTON CO.

Friday Three-Hour Sales

—In Both Stores—Boston and Roxbury—

Tomorrow—Friday—will undoubtedly exceed and excel the wonderful Friday records of November. This, our first Friday of December, will be one of the best buying days before Christmas, and many of the Hour Sale specials are suitable for gifts, also thousands of folks have not yet completed their winter purchases of apparel and household necessities — scores of remarkable values are offered below.

Child's $2.75 Rockers.... 1.98 All solid oak with high back and closely woven cane or imitation leather seat. Your choice of several patterns to select from. Fifth Floor

$10 White Bed Outfits 8.49 Continuous post beds, with extra heavy fillers, all iron National spring and white cotton top and bottom mattress, all sizes. Complete for .... 8.49 Fifth Floor

On Sale from 9 to 12 A. M.

10c Outing Flannels ...... 6c 27 inches wide, in lengths from 2 to 10 yards, a splendid assortment of stripes, plaids and checks, plenty of pink and blue. For three hours at 6c per yard. Street Floor

8c Bleached Crash .... 5c 15 inches wide, dice patterns, neat red border, splendid for hand, roller or dish towels. For three hours at 5c per yard. Street Floor

7c Cotton Cloth .... 5c Bleached, 32 inches wide, snow white, cut from the full piece, perfect goods. For three hours at 5c per yard. Street Floor

Men's 98c Underwear .. 65c Light weight, gray shirts and drawers, ½ wool, all sizes. For three hours at 65c. Street Floor

Men's & Boys' 50c Shirts ... 39c Samples, in good patterns, neckband style, with laundered cuffs, large variety of new fall effects, in all sizes. Street Floor

Men's 75c and $1.00 Night Shirts, at .... 68c These are samples and odd lots from several great factories, 300 dozen, many worth more than $1.00. Now at 68c. Street Floor

Women's 15c Hosiery .... 9c Black cotton, medium weight, slight irregulars. For three hours at 9c per pair. 3 Pairs for 25¢ Street Floor

Women's 25c Cashmere Hosiery, Pair .... 19c Black, light and medium weight, odd lots and slight irregulars. For three hours at 19c per pair. Street Floor

Women's 59c Vests .... 35c Extra sizes, high neck, short sleeves, fleece lined cotton. For three hours at 35c each. Street Floor

$3.50 Tea Sets .... 1.98 Sterling silver deposit on blue, brown, green, high grade china ware, large teapot, sugar and creamer. Street Floor

Special 50c Jewelry ..... 25c Choice of brooches, bar pins, cuff links, scarf pins and pin sets, large variety to select from. Street Floor

Womens 75c Handkerchiefs 59c All pure linen hemstitch, one-quarter dozen in fancy Christmas box, with assorted embroidered corners. For three hours at 59c per box. Street Floor

Children's 75c Kid Gloves... 59c Fleeced lined, with elastic close-fitting wrist. Just the thing for cold weather. For three hours at 59c per pair. Street Floor

Men's $1.25 and $1.50 House Slippers .... 93c Leather and felt, including an elegant lot of samples, suitable for holiday gifts. Street Floor

20c Taffeta Ribbons ..... 10c Polka dot, 4½ inches wide, all silk, hand embroidered dots in colors, on white ground, for hair bows, etc. For three hours at 10c per yard. Street Floor

$2.69 Astrachan Cloakings, at .... 1.99 54 inches wide, in red, navy, dark green and black; full pieces and perfect. For three hours at $1.99 per yard. Street Floor

Boys' 79c Pajamas ..... 55c Heavy domet sleeping suits, coat and pants, in all sizes, ages 4 to 16, coats frog trimmed. For three hours at 55c. Street Floor

Boys' Blouses, at .... 21c Flannel and madras blouses, made with open cuffs and yoke back. Sizes 5 to 14. Third Floor

Men's Pants, at .... 1.19 An odd lot. Good weight blue serge trousers. Sizes 32 to 42. Third Floor

Sateen Petticoats .... 47c Extra heavy sateen, fitted top with a deep pleated flounce. Third Floor

Women's Corsets ..... 29c Corset of heavy coutil, medium and low busts, long hips, four heavy hose supporters. Third Floor

Flannel Skirts .... 19c Made of excellent quality flannelette in stripes, scalloped edge. Third Floor

Sleeping Garments ... 27c Good quality flannelette in pink and blue stripes and cut good and full; sizes 2 to 6 years. Third Floor

Women's Corduroy Coats, at .... 4.98 Corduroy coats in brown and navy. Made in a belted model with convertible collar. Trimmed with fur. Lined throughout. Third Floor

Bungalow Aprons ...... 25c Striped or figured percale, bound with white, belt all around. Extra full. Third Floor

Women's Odd Waists ...... 49c Lingerie embroidered and lace trimmed. Semi-tailored style. Slightly soiled. Third Floor

Boys' Mixture Suits ..... 1.87 Norfolk style. Sizes 7 to 16. Chinchilla Overcoats. Sizes 3 to 10. Third Floor

15c Silkoline ... 10c 36 inches wide, splendid variety of patterns, in all manner of colorings, also plain colors. For three hours at 10c per yard. Fourth Floor

50c Sofa Pillows ..... 25c Variety of attractive colorings, good size, finished with ruffle, well filled. A bargain for three hours at 25c each. Fourth Floor

$1.25 Velvet Rugs .... 98c Size 27x54. For three hours at 98c. Fourth Floor

90c Dutch Curtains .... 59c Made of good quality scrim with 2-inch hemstitched hem and wide lace edge, in white, cream and ecru. At 59c per set. Fourth Floor

$1.19 Scotch Lace Curtains 75c Wide range of patterns in allover and border effects, made of heavy double thread. For three hours at 75c per pair. Fourth Floor

$5.00 Toy Automobiles 2.98 Body and hood of sheet metal, painted red, rubber tire wheels. For three hours at $2.98. Fourth and Fifth Floors

Boys' Rubber Coats & Hats 2.50 Made of guaranteed Hodgman waterproof black rubber. Sizes 4 to 16. Third Floor

Children's Coats ...... 1.98 All wool fancy mixtures, boucle and chinchilla. Made in the latest style. Sizes 2 to 6. Third Floor

House Dresses ..... 59c Percale and ginghams, trimmed with plain colors. Elastic belt. Third Floor

Cotton Drawers .... 25c Made of extra heavy cotton, cut very full, deep hamburg ruffle. Third Floor

BASEMENT

$1.10 Copper Tea Kettles—"Rome," nickel plated, No. 7 size, five-quart capacity. For three hours at ....79¢

Oil Heaters—"Perfect," smokeless and odorless, will heat a good size room in a very short time 1.98

39c Cobbler Kits—Consists of stand, three lasts, hammer, sewing awl and knife. Mend your own shoes........25¢

$1.25 Oil Mops—"Tates," black triangular, gets in all corners and under all places......39¢

50c Serving Trays—Nickel plated, round shape, 13-inch size ....29¢

60c Galvanized Tubs—Round shape, just the thing for foot tub, 16 inches wide, 9 inches deep ....44¢

$1.00 Foot Rests .... 79c Fumed oak finish, top covered in tapestry or imitation leather. For three hours at 79c. Fifth Floor

$2.50 Couch Cots .... 1.98 All iron frame, nicely bronzed with National spring top, 30 inches wide. Fifth Floor

$2.49 High Chairs .... 1.59 Solid oak, nicely polished, with adjustable tray, closely woven cane or wood seat. For three hours at $1.59. Fifth Floor

20c Wall Papers ... 12½c Gold outline, for parlor, dining room, or front hall, in popular colorings and designs. At 12½c per roll. 15-inch frieze to match at 5c per yard. Sixth Floor

20c Chamber Wall Papers 12½c Chintz effects, in soft shades of pink, blue and yellow. At 12½c per roll. 9-inch border to match at 2c per yard. Sixth Floor

$2.00 Colored Landscapes 1.49 Also figure pictures, in neat gilt frames. For three hours at $1.49. Sixth Floor

79c Cut Glass, at .... 49c Popular bud vases for table decoration, fine deep cutting in heavy blanks, brilliantly finished. For three hours at 49c each. Basement

$3.00 Dinner Sets .... 1.98 Fine American semi-porcelain, suitable for six persons, decorated in a dainty floral spray pattern, gold edges. For three hours at $1.98 per set. Basement

$2.75 Cut Glass Vases 1.98 Fine cut glass, ten inches high, floral and leaf design, finely finished glass, useful and practical for home use. Basement

DRUG STORE

25c Celluloid Puff Boxes 17¢

39c Perfume—In fancy boxes, assorted odors.......25¢

Peg O' My Heart Week-End Packages, contain 1 jar cream, 1 can talcum, 1 bottle toilet water, in fancy box..25¢

Colgate's Combined Comforts for Women—Cake soap, talcum, dental cream, perfume and toilet water, in neat box 50¢

Vantine's Combination Package—1 oz. Turkish Rose Extract, 1 oz. Turkish Rose Sachet, 1 cake Turkish Rose Soap in fancy package. 75¢

Nail Files—6-inch double cut flexible file ....10¢

Second Floor

FRUITS

30c Sweet Oranges Per dozen ....19¢

40c Sweet Oranges Per dozen ....25¢

50c Sweet Oranges Per dozen ....35¢

60c Grapefruits Each ....4¢ Per dozen 40c.

$1.25 Grapefruits Each ....8¢ Special price by the case. Per dozen 89c.

Second Floor

GROCERIES

6½c lb. Sugar — American Sugar Refinery's Fine Granulated—10 lbs....59¢

25c Educator Crackers—Johnson's Fancy Assorted, 8 kinds, per lb.....17¢

39c Maleberry Coffee—Chase & Sanborn's. Per lb... 28¢

15c Kippered Herrings—King Oscar imported Norwegians. Per can ......11¢

20c Drained Citron — Per lb. ......16¢

5c Soap—Swift's Pride; well seasoned bars. 10 bars.....29¢

15c Plum Pudding—All Ready Brand. At ......10¢

14c Tomatoes—Lake Erie solid packed. Per can......11¢

35c Boned Chicken—Richardson & Robbins' fancy. Per can ....29¢

HOOD'S CREAMERY

Hood's Print Butter, lb. ....34¢

21c Young America Cheese, lb. ......19¢

Imported Edam Cheese Each 1.19

31c Selected Eggs Per dozen ......29¢

Second Floor

FISH

Fresh Shore Haddock....7¢

Fresh Shore Cod........8¢

Fancy White Halibut 15¢

Fancy Red Salmon.....15¢

Med. Cape Mackerel, 5 for 25¢

Swordfish Steak.......20¢

Fresh Whitefish, sliced [illegible]

New Smoked Finnan Haddie, 9¢

Second Floor

On Sale from 2 to 5 P. M.

$3.00 Traveling Bags.. 1.79 Walrus grain, cloth lined, strong lock and side catches, choice of 14, 17 and 18-inch. Street Floor

Ladies' $3.50 and $4.00 Hand Bags ...... 2.98 All new styles, plain or fancy, for shopping or dress wear, black and colors. Street Floor

Men's $1.25 Pajamas ... 79c Plain or frog trimmed. Buy now for Xmas gifts. For three hours at 79c per suit. Street Floor

Men's $1.00 Union Suits.. 69c Ribbed cotton, good quality medium or heavy weights, long sleeves and ankle length suits. Street Floor

Boys' 59c Sweater Coats 44c Here is a very heavy sweater coat in gray only. A splendid value at 44c. Street Floor

25c Table Oil Cloth.. 12½c 45 inches wide. These are called manufacturer's "seconds," splendid line of patterns, light and dark grounds. For three hours at 12½c per yard. Street Floor

39c Eiderdown .... 25c 27 inches wide, all new, pretty patterns, heavy weight, splendid for ladies' kimonos and suits, also bath robes. For three hours at 25c per yard. Street Floor

$1 and $1.50 Dress Goods.. 69c All wool Corduroys, Cheviots, Suitings and Serges, all 54 inches wide, broken color range, but many of the best colors represented. At 69c per yard. Street Floor

DRUG STORE

55c White Ivory Buffers—Five inches in length, removable white chamois ......47¢

Colgate's Combined Comforts for Men—1 cake of soap, 1 can talcum, 1 dental cream, 1 shaving stick, in neat box. 50¢

Thermos Bottles—Full nickeled, heavy corrugated cases, separable 1.75

Toilet Mirrors—A rare bargain. French plate glass, bevel edge, heavy wood backs, Circassian walnut, rosewood, white enamel, oval backs, long and ring handles .....63¢ to 89¢

Manicure Sets—Consisting of 1 box nail bleach, 1 box cuticle creme, 1 stick nail polish, 1 cake nail polish, 1 manicure stick, 3 long emery boards, in fancy box ......25¢

Second Floor

FRUITS

50c Shelled Walnuts—Per pound ......43¢

75c New Shelled Pecans—Per pound ......59¢

75c New Jordan Almonds—Per pound ....59¢

$4.50 Baldwin Apples—Per barrel 3.75

50c Baldwin Apples — Per peck ....39¢

Second Floor

GROCERIES

30c Flour—Reliable Self-Raising. Per package......23¢

13c Raisins—California Sun Maid Seeded Muscat. Per package ....10¢

15c Prunes—Fancy 60-70 Santa Clara Valley. Per lb.....10¢

25c Queen Olives—Spanish. Per large Mason jar.......19¢

5c Soap—Lifebuoy Health. 5 bars .....19¢

18c Sliced Peaches—Griffin's brand, in heavy syrup. At ...14¢

25c Cake Flour—Swansdown brand. Per package.....21¢

22c Cocoa—Lowney's Breakfast. Per can ....18¢

25c Pineapple—Paradise Island Fancy Sliced Hawaiian. Per can ....18¢

Second Floor

HOOD'S CREAMERY

Hood's Best Tub Butter—Lb. 32¢

20c Rich Mild Cheese—Lb. 18¢

22c Peanut Butter—In bulk, lb. 18¢

31c Selected Eggs—Per dozen, 29¢

Second Floor

MEATS

Short Leg of Spring Lamb, 18¢

Corn Fed Faces of Rump to roast ......18¢

Corn Fed Top R. Steak, tender and juicy ......28¢

Short Cut of Rump Steak corn fed ....28¢

Stall Fed Native Geese 22¢

Fresh Killed Young Turkeys, 25¢

Fresh Killed Ducks .....23¢

Fresh and Corned Ox Tongue, 16¢

Fresh Young Pig Pork, strip, 15¢

Fresh Norfolk Oysters — Per quart ....30¢

Quahaugs........3 for 10¢

$1.00 Costume Velveteens..... 72c In black, the famous velveteen grade. A limited quantity at 72c per yard. Street Floor

Children's $1 Cape Gloves... 85c Made from imported capeskin. P X M sewn, good assortment of tan shades. For three hours at 85c per pair. Street Floor

Children's Handkerchiefs 15c White hemstitch, with colored initials, one-quarter dozen in fancy Christmas box. For three hours at 15c box. Street Floor

Women's $1.75 Ballet Slippers ... 1.19 Also, gymnasium shoes, very much in demand at this season. For three hours at $1.19 per pair. Street Floor

15c Moire Taffeta Ribbons.. 10c 4 inches wide, all silk, in pink, blue, white, navy, Alice, maize, lilac, green, black, etc., for hair bows, millinery, etc. For three hours at 10c per yard. Street Floor

Women's $1.00 Union Suits.. 59c Medium weight cotton, high neck, long sleeves, knee length, low neck, sleeveless, odd lines, samples and broken sizes, slightly soiled. At 59c per garment. Street Floor

Women's 18c Vests . 12½c Fine cotton, fancy finished yoke and armseyes, sizes 4, 5 and 6. For three hours at 12½c each. Street Floor

Women's 35c Hosiery ..... 25c Black cotton, medium weight, fashioned, our indestructible grade. For three hours at 25c per pair. Street Floor

Men's $3.50 Bath Robes 2.75 A large assortment, strictly new stock, all beautiful blanket robes, girdle to match. For three hours at $2.75. Street Floor

$5.98 Smoking Jackets.. 4.50 Here is a special Xmas Hour Sale. Christmas gifts of Smoking Jackets are always appreciated, hence this special bargain, all sizes, splendid assortment. For three hours at $4.50. Street Floor

Women's Dress Skirts 1.10 Made of a good winter weight suiting, in a new model with pockets. Third Floor

Dressing Sacques ...... 39c In pretty floral patterns in a large assortment of colors. Third Floor

Children's Dresses ..... 27c Made of good quality gingham and percale. Neatly trimmed with pretty contrasting colors. Sizes 2 to 6. Third Floor

Flannelette Gowns ...... 57c Extra heavy flannelette in white and stripes. Collar and collarless. Third Floor

Women's Brassieres ... 25c Made with hooked front and cross back. Reinforced under arm, fancy materials. Third Floor

Men's and Youths' Suits 5.98 Blue serge, well tailored, Venetian lined. Sizes 32 to 40. Third Floor

Boys' L. B. Blouses 3 FOR 1.00 New stripes in madras and percales, attached collar or band style. Sizes 7 to 15. Third Floor

Bungalow Aprons ...... 25c Cut extra long and full, percales and ginghams, belted back. Third Floor

Women's Combinations 49c Made of fine nainsook lace and embroidery trimmed, ribbon run beading. Third Floor

Boys' Mackinaws.. 2.77 All wool mackinaws, overcoats and two-pant suits. Sizes 3 to 17 years. Third Floor

Girls' Coats ...... 3.89 Odd lot of coats made of boucle, corduroy and fancy mixtures. Lined throughout. Sizes 2 to 14. Third Floor

Boys' Long Overcoats.... 3.87 All wool mackinaws, in plaids and checks. Latest colors. Mixture overcoats. Third Floor

Women's Lace Waists.. 1.00 Lace waists, net lined, ribbon run, camisole effect. An odd lot. For three hours at $1.00. Third Floor

$1.45 Madras Curtains .... 95c Imported, in several dainty patterns, 2½ yards long, in white and natural, one of the season's most popular curtains. For three hours at 95c per pair. Fourth Floor

$1.50 Dutch Curtains .... 95c Made of fine mercerized scrim, in white, cream and beige, wide, filet lace, insertion and hemmed edge. At 95c per set. Fourth Floor

$12.00 Tapestry Brussels Rugs ...... 7.85 Size 8.3x10.6. For three hours at $7.85. Fourth Floor

$1.00 Mantel & Piano Scarfs 59c Made of figured sateen, border effect, finished with fringe, full size, many patterns and colorings. For three hours at 59c. Fourth Floor

19c Cretonnes 12½c Exceptionally large variety of patterns and colorings, 30 and 36 inches wide. For three hours at 12½c per yard. Fourth Floor

$2.00 English Doll Carriages .. 1.49 Finely finished, color dark blue, rubber tire wheels. For three hours at $1.49. Fourth and Fifth Floors

$3.50 Couch Frames ... 2.79 Dropside, all iron frame with National spring top, the kind that makes three different widths. Fifth Floor

$6 Golden Oak Chiffoniers.. 3.98 All solid oak, nicely polished with five large deep drawers and wood knobs. Fifth Floor

$2.50 Parlor Rockers ... 1.79 Golden oak or mahogany finish, high back with extra deep saddle seat, nicely polished. Fifth Floor

$1.50 Gilt Frames ...... 85c Oval size 11x14, with convex glass, fitted complete. For three hours at 85c. Sixth Floor

29c Knife Rests .... 9c Cut glass, an assortment of shapes and cutting, useful and practical for home use. For three hours at 9c each. Basement

79c Water Sets .... 49c Imitation of cut glass and plain blown water sets, comprising one large pitcher and six water tumblers to match. For three hours at 49c. Basement

BASEMENT

60c Bath Tub Seats—White, has nickel plated adjustable hangers. For three hours at 39¢

50c Flashlights — Leather or nickel case, complete with battery ......39¢

$3.00 Electric Chandeliers—Brush brass finish. $1.49

$4.00 kind at.......$1.98

$5.00 kind at......$2.49

$6.00 kind at......$2.98

$7.00 kind at......$3.49

10c and 15c Gas Mantles—Inverted and upright. 6 for 29¢

75c Covered Kettles—White enamel lined, 10-quart size, blue mottled outside. For three hours at ......49¢

75c Covered Saucepans—White enameled lined, blue mottle outside, 8-quart capacity. 49¢

INSIDE THE LINES

A Fascinating New Love Story of the European War

By EARL DERR BIGGERS, Author of "Seven Keys to Baldpate," and Robert Welles Ritchie

(CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY'S AMERICAN.)

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

The Magic Writing

"NOW what are they all doing out there?" Kitty Sherman was asking. "All those men running top speed with their guns carried up so high."

"Bayonet charge," Kimball answered. "Nothing like the real thing, of course."

Jane Gerson was watching the twisting and writhing of that filament of brown against the white. An invisible hand was writing in brown ink on the side of the cigarette—writing backward and away from the burning tip. It lengthened by seconds—"and Louisa to Crandall."

So the letters of silver nitrate formed themselves under her eyes. Kimball took the cigarette from his lips and held it by his side for a minute. He and Kitty were busy with each other's company for the time, ignoring Jane. She burned with curiosity and with excitement mounting like the fire of wine to her brain.

Would he never put that cigarette to his lips again, so she could follow the invisible pen! So fleeting, so evanescent that worm track on the paper, wrought by fire and by fire to be consumed. A mystery vanishing even as it was aborning! After ages, the unconscious Kimball set the cigarette again in his lips.

"—nformer has denounced you and Louisa-t- —play your game and he will be slow to——"

Again the cigarette came away in Kimball's hand. Acting on impluse she did not stop to question. Jane struck it from the young man's outstretched hand and set her foot on it as it fell in the dust.

"Oh, I'm clumsy!" She fell lightly against Kimball's shoulder and caught herself in well-simulated confusion. "Standing tiptoe to see what that man on a horse is going to do—lost my balance. And—and your precious cigarette—gone!"

The anguish in Jane Gerson's voice was not play. It was real—terribly real.

CHAPTER XXXIX.

Jane Realizes

JANE GERSON, alone for the first time since the incident of the cigarete on the parade ground a few hours back, sat before a narrow window in her room at Government House, fighting a great bewilderment. The window opened on a varied prospect of blooming gardens and sail-flecked bay beyond.

But from her eyes the riot of color and clash of contrast between bald cliff and massed green had no appeal. Her hands locked and unlocked themselves on her lap. The girl's mind was struggling to coordinate scattered circumstances into a comprehensible whole, to grapple with the ethical problem of her own conduct.

What she knew, or thought she knew—and what she should do—those were the two saber points of the dilemma upon which she found herself impaled.

Could there now be any doubt of what she felt to be the truth? First, she had met Captain Woodhouse on the Express du Nord—an officer in the English army, by his own statement, returning from leave in England to his post in Egypt.

Then, the encounter of last night at the Hotel Splendide, Captain Wodhouse first denying his identity, then admitting it under the enforced pledge that she should not reveal the former meeting. Captain Woodhouse, not in Egypt, but at Gibraltar, and, as she had soon learned, there with papers of transfer from an Egyptian post to the garrison of the Rock.

Following this surprise had come General Crandall's dogged examination of that morning—his blunt declaration that a serious question as to the captain's position at Gibraltar had arisen, and his equally plain-spoken threat to have the truth from her concerning her knowledge of the suspected officer.

To cap all, the message on the cigarette! An informer—she guessed the prefix to the unfinished word—had denounced "you and Louisa" to General Crandall. To whom the pronoun referred was unmistakable—Almer's eagerness to insure Captain Woodhouse's receiving the cigarette case plainly defined that.

As to "Louisa," involved with Woodhouse, the girl from Hildebrand's was sensible only of a passing flash of curiosity, made a bit more piquant, perhaps, by a little dart of jealousy, hardly comprehended as such. A hotel keeper warns an officer in the Gibraltar garrison that he has been denounced, but in the same message adjures him to "play your own game." That was the single compelling fact.

Jane Gerson flushed—in anger, or was it through guilt?—when she found her lips framing the word "spy"!

Now she understood why General Crandall had put her on the grill—why he, informed, had leaped to the significance of the gift of roses and deduced her previous acquaintance with their donor.

Her host was not, after all, the possessor of magical powers of mind reading. He was, instead, just the sober, conscientious protector of the Rock on whom rested responsibility for the lives of its defenders and the maintenance of England's flag there. His duty was to catch—and shoot—spies.

Shoot spies! The girl's heart contracted at the thought. No, no! She would not—she could not reveal to the governor the knowledge she had. That would be to send death to a man as surely as if hers was the finger at the trigger.

Jane Gerson was on her feet now, pacing the room. Over and over again she told herself that this man who had come into her life, obliquely enough, had no claim on her; had brought nothing to her but distress. He had deceived her even, and then, when caught in the deception, had wrested from her a promise that she would help him continue further deception against others.

Against her will he had made her a party to some deep and audacious plot, whose purpose she could not guess, but which must be but a part of the huge mystery of war.

And soon this Captain Woodhouse was to come to his trial—the purpose of his invitation to tea that afternoon flashed clear as white light.

SYNOPSIS OF PREVIOUS INSTALMENTS.

The scene is at Government House, Gibraltar; the time the first week of the European War. Jane Gerson, an American girl buying Paris gowns for a New York house, has fled from Paris to Gib., with precious models.

At Calais she has been aided over baggage by a man introducing himself as Captain Woodhouse of the English signal service, but who denies, when he encounters her at Gib., that he ever saw her before. He pledges Jane to secrecy.

Woodhouse is a spy for the Wilhelmstrasse, the German intelligence machine, which plots to get him into Gibraltar in place of the real Captain Woodhouse, who has been intercepted and overpowered at Alexandria through Dr. Koch.

Louisa, a Wilhelmstrasse worker, has used Billy Capper, a discredited spy, as a dupe to have him furnished with a Wilhelmstrasse number (1932), which the false Woodhouse gets.

Lady Crandall, a former American girl and now wife of the Governor-General of Gib., invites Jane Gerson and the Shermans, a party of stranded Americans, to Government House to await the sailing of the Saxonia.

Louisa, now posing as Josepha, a cigar girl, has come to Gibraltar and is working with Proprietor Almer of the Hotel Splendide, a third Wilhelmstrasse conspirator. Almer tells Woodhouse of Room D in the signal tower on the Rock which controls the harbor mines over which the British fleet will anchor. There is a fellow-conspirator in the Crandall household, too. Woodhouse reports to General Crandall, being accepted as the real Woodhouse.

Billy Capper comes to General Crandall to sell out the plot for money and revenge.

Capper tells all, is discredited and hustled out of Gibraltar, but General Crandall is uneasy. He bids Lady Crandall invite the Captain to afternoon tea and sends for Major Bishop, who was on the Rock when the real Woodhouse was there seven years before.

General Crandall vainly quizzes Jane. He and Major Bishop plan to test Woodhouse by a seven-year-old picture of Lady Craigen. Capper sends parting word to arrest Josepha. Almer is warned. To save Woodhouse Almer finds Jane on the parade ground and gives her a cigarette case for Woodhouse. Willy Kimball, an American, lights one of the cigarettes. Jane spies an odd shadow line on the wrapper.

Soon she would be in the same room with him; would be forced to witness the spinning of the web set to trap him. He would come unwarned, unsuspecting. He might leave that room under guard and with guns at his back—guns soon to be leveled at his heart.

Yet she, Jane Gerson, possessed the power to save him—as the warning of the cigarette surely would be saving, once a clever man were put on his guard by it.

Would she speak—and betray General Crandall, her kindly host? Would she lock her lips and see a man walk blindfolded to his death?

A Little Errand for Jaimihr Khan

A few minutes before 5 o'clock, Major Bishop was announced at Government House and received by General Crandall in the library. Before Jaimihr Khan, who had preceded the visitor through the double doors from the hall, could retire, his master stopped him.

"One minute, Jaimihr! Have a seat, Bishop; glad you've come a bit early. Come here, Jaimihr!"

The tall reedlike figure of the Indian glided to General Crandall's side. His thin ascetic features were set in their usual mold of unseeing detachment; only his dark eyes showed animation.

"Yes, my General," hesaid, as he stopped before the Englishman.

"I have a little commission for you, Jaimihr," General Crandall began, weighing his words with care. "The utmost discretion—you understand?"

"The utmost. I understand." Jaimihr Khan's lips moved ever so slightly, and his eyes looked steadily ahead.

"In the course of a few minutes, Captain Woodhouse, of the signal service, will be here to tea," the general began. The Indian repeated mechanically: "Cap-tain Wood-house."

"As soon as you have ushered him into this room, you will go as quickly as you can to the West Barracks. His room will be No. 36, on the second gallery. You will enter his room with a key I shall give you and search it from end to end—everything in it. Anything that is of a suspicious nature—you understand, Jaimihr, what that might be—you will bring here to me at once."

"It shall be done, General Sahib."

"No one, officer or man, must suspect your errand. No one must see you enter or leave that room."

"No one," the Indian repeated.

General Crandall went to a wall safe set by the side of the double doors, turned the combination, and opened it. He took from a drawer therein a bunch of keys, selected one, and passed it to Jaimihr Kahan.

"The utmost care, remember!" he warned again.

"Is it likely I should fail you this time, General Sahib, when so many times I have succeeded?"

"Make the search complete." General Crandall ignored his servant's question. "But return as quickly as you can. I shall keep Captain Woodhouse here until you do so. You must report to me before he leaves this house."

"When the moment arrives, your servant shall fly, General Sihib," the Indian replied, and withdrew.

"I say, General, you have a great deal of faith in your Indian," Bishop ventured, accepting a cigarette from his superior's case. "Rather a delicate mission you've given him."

"Absolute faith, yes. Been with me for years—picked him up in Rangoon—have tried him many times, and found him as loyal as any officer in the service." General Crandall put in his words enough emphasis to carry slight rebuke for the other's implied criticism. But the pursy little major was too sure of the fine terms of personal friendship between himself and his superior to feel embarrassment.

"About that girl, General—that cigar girl, Josepha, concerning whom your beach-comber friend sent that warning this morning from the safe ground of Spain——"

"Obvious thing would have been to clap her in a cell," the Governor answered. "But I have not, for the very good reason that if there's anything in this fellow's accusations against her, as well as against Woodhouse, the game will be to keep her watched and give our captain an opportunity to communicate with her. Minute he does that—why, we've got our proof against both."

"Then I take it you've put a trailer on the girl?"

"At eight o'clock tonight I'll know where she's been every hour of the day," the general returned confidently. "She can't leave the town without being arrested. Now, as to our plan for Woodhouse's reception—this affair of Craigen's wife; we might as well agree on points, so that——" He heard his wife's voice in the room off the library, and broke off abruptly. "Confound it; the women are coming! Just step into my room with me, and we'll go over this little matter, Major."

CHAPTER XL.

A Girl's Heart

GENERAL CRANDALL held open a small door at the left of his desk and followed Bishop through. Lady Crandall and Jane entered the library almost at the same time.

"This tea of George's is preposterous," the lady of Government House was grumbling. "Said we must have this man from Egypt here at once."

"If you were English, no tea could be preposterous," Jane countered, with a brave attempt at lightness. She felt each passing moment a weight adding to the suspense of the inevitable event.

"Well, I'm going to get it through with just as soon as I can," Lady Crandall snapped. Then Jaimihr Khan threw open the double doors and announced: "Cap-tain Woodhouse, my lady!"

"Show him up!" she commanded; then in complaint to Jane. "Now where do you suppose that husband of mine went? Just like him to suggest a tea and forget to make an appearance."

Captain Woodhouse appeared between the opened doors in khaki and trim puttees. He stood very straight for an instant, his eyes shooting rapidly about the room. Lady Crandall hurried forward to greet him, and his momentary stiffness disappeared. The girl behind her followed slowly, almost reluctantly. Woodhouse grasped her extended hand.

"It was good of you to send the flowers," she murmured. The man smiled appreciation.

"Do you know," he said, "after I sent them I thought you'd consider me a bit—prompt."

"I am learning something every day—about Englishmen," Jane managed to answer, with a ghost of a smile.

"Always something good, I hope." Woodhouse was quick to retort, his eyes eagerly trying to fathom the cause of the girl's restraint.

Lady Crandall, who had been vainly ringing for Jaimihr Khan, excused herself on the necessity of looking after the tea things. Jane experienced a quick stab of dread at finding herself alone with this man.

Unexpected opportunity was urging a decision which an hour of solitude in her room had failed to bring. Yet she trembled, appalled and afraid to speak, before the very magnitude of the moment's exigency. "A spy—a spy!" whispered austere duty. "He will die!" her heart cried in protest.

"Miss Gerson, it's good to see you again and know by your handclasp you have forgiven me for—for what was very necessary in the Splendide."

Captain Woodhouse was standing before her now, his grave eyes looking down into hers. The girl caught a deep note of sincerity and something else—something vibrantly personal. Yet her tongue would not be loosed of its burden.

"A very pretty speech," she answered, with attempted raillery. "I shall think of it on the boat going home."

"I say, I wish you weren't always in that horrid state of mind—on your way home mentally," Captain Woodhouse challenged.

"I shall be so in reality day after tomorrow, I hope," she replied. "Away from all this bewildering war and back in comfortable little New York." The man seemed genuinely grieved at her announcement.

"New York must be worth while; but I imagine you have nothing picturesque—nothing old there. I'll wager you haven't a single converted monastery like Government House in all your city."

"Not many things in New York have been converted," she answered, with a smile. "Our greatest need is for a municipal evangelist."

False—all false, this banter! She knew it to be, and so she believed he must read it. And the man—his ease of manner was either that of innocence or of supreme nerve, the second not less to be admired than the first. Could it be that behind his serious eyes, now frankly telling her what she dared not let herself read in them, lay duplicity and a spy's cunning?

"I fancy you New Yorkers suffer most from newness—newness right out of the shop," she heard him saying. "But the old things are the best. Imagine the monks of a long-ago yesterday toasting themselves before this ancient fireplace." He waved toward the massive Gothic mantel bridging a cavernous fireplace. An old chime bell, green with weathering, hung on a low frame beside the firedogs.

"You're mistaken; that's manufactured antiquity," Jane caught him up. "Lady Crandall told me last night that fireplace is just five years old. One of the preceding governor's hobbies, it was."

To Feast His Eyes On Her Fair Face

Woodhouse caught at her answer with a quick lifting of the brows. He turned again to feast his eyes on the girl's piquant face, even more alluring now because of the fleeting color that left the cheeks with a tea rose's coldness.

"Miss Gerson, something I have done or said"—the man was laboring after words—"you are not yourself, and maybe I am respon—"

She turned from him with a slight shudder. Her hand was extended in mute appeal for silence. He waited while his eyes followed the heaving of her shoulders under the emotion that was racking her. Suddenly she faced him again, and words rushed from her lips in an abandon of terror:

"Captain Woodhouse, I know too much—about you and why you are here. Oh, more than I want to! Accident—bad luck, believe me, it is not my seeking that I know you are a—a—"

He had started forward at her outburst, and now he stood very close to her, his gray eyes cold and unchanging.

"Say it—say the word; I'm not afraid to hear it," he commanded tensely. She drew back from him a little wildly, her hands fluttering up as if to fend him off.

"You—you are in great danger this minute. You were brought here this afternoon to be trapped—exposed and made——"

"I was fully aware of that when I came Miss Gerson," he interrupted. "The invitation, coming so suddenly so pressing—I think I read it aright."

"But the promise you made me give last night!" Sudden resentment brushed aside for the instant the girl's first flood of sympathy. "That has involved me with you. Oh, that was unfair—to make me promise I would not allude to—to our first meeting!"

"Involved you?" He closed one of his hands in his as if to calm her and force more rational speech. "Then you have been——"

"Questioned by General Crandall—about you," she broke in, struggling slightly to free her hand. "Questioned—and even bullied and threatened."

"And you kept your promise?" The question was put so low Jane could hardly catch it. She slowly nodded.

"Miss Gerson, you will never have cause to regret that you did." Woodhouse pressed her hand with almost fierce intenseness, then let it go. Her face was flaming now under the stress of excitement. She knew tears stood in her eyes, and was angered at their being there; he might mistake them. Woodhouse continued, in the same suppressed tone:

"You were on the point of using a word a minute ago, Miss Gerson, which was hard for you to voice because you thought it an ugly word. You seemed sure it was the right word to fit me. You only hesitated out of—ah—decency. Yet you kept faith with me before General Crandall. May I hope that means——"

"You may hope nothing!" Quick rebellion at what she divined to be coming flamed in Jane's eyes. "You have no right to hope for more from me than what you forced by promise. I would not be saying what I have to you if—if I did not feel I—that your life——"

"You misunderstood," he broke in stiffly. "I was on the point of saying I hoped you would not always believe me a——"

"Not believe!" Her hand went to the broad ribbon belt she wore and brought out the silver cigarette case. This she passed to him with a swift gesture.

"Almer, the Hotel Splendide man, gave me this today at parade, urging that I deliver it to you." She was speaking hurriedly. "By a miracle—the strangest circumstance in the world—I learned the message this cigarette case was to carry to you. Oh, no, innocently enough on my part—it came by a chance I must not take the time to explain."

"A message from—Almer to me?" Woodhouse could not conceal the start her words gave him. He took a step toward her eagerly.

"Yes, a message. You must have it to protect yourself. The message was this:

"Informer has denounced you and Louisa to——"

Her voice died in her throat. Over Captain Woodhouse's shoulder she saw a door open. General Crandall and a short fat man in officer's uniform entered the library.

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Here is the order in which the names will appear on the official ballot:

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John J. Conway.
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William Berwin.
Redmond S. Fitzgerald.
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(One-Year Term.)
William F. Doyle.
Thomas J. Kenny.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.
Frances G. Curtis.
Julia E. Duff.
Herbert J. Keenan.

The Good Government Association men landed third, sixth and seventh places. The Curley candidates fared much better, capturing first, second and fifth places for the three-year terms and first place in the one-year-term contest.

The Public School Association fared better with its candidate for school committee, capturing first place, with Mrs. Duff, independent, second, and Keenan, the Curley indorsed candidate, last.

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By FREDERICK JOHNS.

"The Only Girl," a musical comedy by Henry Blossom and Victor Herbert, adapted from Frank Mandel's farce, "Our Wives," is sojourning at the Shubert.

It is the best musical show of the season. That is flat. It is also one of the best farces of the season, if you never happened to see it in its old shape, and it is played by one of the best balanced casts of the season.

A few years ago there was a plethora of made-over farces with musical injections. You remember the "Three Twins," and all the rest. "The Only Girl" is of that order, save that the music is the most charming of light opera melody, and it is soldered on to the play so cleverly that you can't see the joints.

Victor Herbert has lasted longer than any American musician. He joins right on to the Gilbert and Sullivan school, for his first operas were produced when the British master craftsmen were just finishing their labors.

"The Serenade," "The Singing Girl" and "The Fortune Teller" were the products of the young Herbert. They are infinitely better music than the output of the last decade. For a time Herbert seemed to have lost his inspiration and agreeable orchestration of ordinary times was the best you could expect of him.

But in "The Only Girl" he seems to have renewed his youth. The melodies are fresh and bright and easily flowing. Every one of the fourteen numbers in this piece is worth listening to, and that's quite a tribute to any comic opera.

The story deals with four merry bachelors. Three of them marry and they bring their wives to meet the fourth, the dear old friend. Of course, the ladies fight and most amusing situations ensue, but his friends' misery does not deter bachelor number four from tying up with a demure little lady composer whose original waltz is the theme of the piece.

The laughs of the show are mostly provoked by Ernest Torrence, a long, lank, lugubrious Scotchman with a marvelous dialect. John Findley as a tippling valet was also very funny.

Thurston Hall, the hero, is a capable actor, but he should not be allowed to sing. The same is true of Jed Prouty, the tenor, who is no Caruso.

Wilda Bennett, the girl composer, is a charming and versatile young person with a sweet but very small voice.

The three wives were very finely performed by Louise Kelley, Olga Roller and Vivian Wessell, and they all sang charmingly. Leona Stephens did a good deal with the part of a soubrette, and Janet McIlvaine was a French girl who might have been called from the Paris boulevards.

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BALLET ADDS TO SPLENDOR OF 'FAUST'

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

One of the biggest and most fashionable audiences of the season was drawn to the Opera House last night to hear "Faust," the old standby which never fails to please the public.

Mr. Rabinoff offered his very strongest combination last evening, Zenatello, Baklanoff, Felice Lyne and Thomas Chalmers, with Leveroni and Elizabeth Campbell added for good measure. In addition there was to be seen the first performance of the big "Faust" ballet in Boston, so far as is known, with Pavlowa and her thirty dancers, aided by the big chorus.

The ballet music from "Faust" is very charming and unfamiliar in comparison to the rest of the score.

Gounod's "Faust" needs no description at this late day. Written in 1859, it has never lost its popularity, and it is sure of performances in every opera company no matter what other works may be omitted.

Probably the most striking feature of the opera proper last night was the Mephistopheles of George Baklanoff. The tall Russian was garbed in greenish black, and his robe caused him to resemble a giant bat. His make-up seemed to consist largely of green paint. He secured a truly demonaic appearance.

It must have been quite a shock to Marguerite when she appeared in her garden, and if she had any sense she wouldn't have had anything to do with his friend Faust.

Felice Lyne, the Marguerite, more nearly suggests the sweet and innocent little Flemish maiden than most sopranos, and she finds most of the music of the part within her voice. There are moments, however, when it is clearly out of her sphere, and her high voice is very unlovely.

Zanatello as Faust does not find the role very comfortable from a dramatic standpoint, but he certainly can sing the beautiful lyric music of the part better than any dramatic tenor that I have heard who tries it.

Thomas Chalmers sang exceptionally well as Valentine, and Misses Leveroni and Campbell did excellent work as Martha and Siebel.

The ballet was a very gorgeous affair and Pavlowa was exceptionally charming and graceful. The music of the Faust ballet is among the finest ever written for this form of art.

Nevertheless the ballet made Faust, ever a short opera interminably long. It was well after midnight when the curtain descended upon the prison scene.

British Demand All to Have Passports

LONDON, Dec. 2.—It is officially announced that an order-in-council requires that in all ordinary cases of persons going abroad, British or alien, passports will be required.

VILLA RAIDERS RAISE ALARM ON BORDER

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Dec. 2.—American military authorities were confronted by a serious situation today owing to the appearance of scattered Villaista forces at various points near the United States border. General Funston has strengthened the patrols in anticipation of raids upon American territory by Villa soldiers seeking supplies for the Villa army.

Villa is reported encamped fifty miles south of Douglas with 10,000 men. His troops are scattered along railway lines to Nacozari and from Fronteras to Bacuachi.

Nacozari and Eltigre, two American mining camps, have been cut off from communication by Villa troops. Villa has threatened to kill every American he finds.

General Obregon announces that two captured Villa generals, Orestes Pereyra and E. Jiminez, with fifty other officers, have been court-martialed and shot.

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THE NEW ADVENTURES OF J. RUFUS WALLINGFORD

While the Pathe Motion Pictures are a long, long laugh, the work of the Whartons, who directed the production, is a classic in dramatic surprise. Plump McIntosh as Wallingford, slim Figman as Blackie Daw, sweet Lolita Robertson as the heroine, make up a perfect cast. Your theatre gets the film from its local

PATHÉ EXCHANGE

The story of the egg beater by George Randolph Chester appears in the

BOSTON AMERICAN

Don't permit yourself to miss it.

Offer Walsh Big Money as "Movie" Star

An offer to star in moving pictures was made to Governor David I. Walsh by Louis J. Selznick, president of the World Film Corporation, at the banquet which was held in Horticultural Hall, early today, following the Movie Ball.

Mr. Selznick said he would give the Governor a salary to exceed the amount he received as Governor.

Gift Store for Polish Aid Open

The "Friends of Poland" have formally opened their shop at No. 601 Boylston street. The association is composed of various Polish organizations which have united in an endeavor to arouse American sympathy and support.

The opening was featured by the singing and dancing of nine Polish girls, whose ages ranged from three to seventeen, singing in their native tongue and dressed as Polish peasants.

Men Must Not See Girls Play Basketball Now

WORCESTER, Dec. 2.—Men, boys, fathers, brothers, cousins—all human beings of the masculine sex—are hereafter and forever to be barred from attending basketball games in the High School gymnasium in which High School girls participate.

Milton Doctor Is Hurt by Automobile

While crossing Huntington avenue in front of the Hotel Oxford, Dr. Francis P. McCarthy of Blue Hill Parkway, Milton, was struck by an automobile owned by N. H. Ware of Marblehead and operated by F. H. Cushing. His left leg was severely hurt, though not fractured.

An Improved Quinine Does Not Cause Nervousness Nor Ringing in the Head.
The happy [illegible] of laxative in LAXATIVE [illegible] makes the Quinine in this form have a far better effect than the ordinary Quinine, and it [illegible] be taken by anyone without affecting the head. [illegible] to call for the full name. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.—Advt.

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The International Red Cross and certain philanthropic societies will receive the net proceeds of the exhibition on certain days.

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Tammany Club Plans to Make Charity Ball a Notable One.

With the announcement that the Tammany Club of Roxbury will hold a Christmas [illegible] for the benefit of the [illegible] the proceeds to go into the Christmas Happiness Fund, the Christmas Basket Fund campaign of the Boston AMERICAN has been given fresh impetus.

The members of the Tammany Club and Mayor Curley, through whose untiring efforts the ball of this club last year was such a success, are more enthusiastic over the prospects this year than ever.

The details of [illegible] which has for its scope [illegible] bringing of Christmas cheer and good [illegible] to all the [illegible] of the city that can [illegible] of the Yuletide spirit without some help, will be announced later.

Several of the leading charitable organizations of the city, including the Boston Lodge of Elks, are co-operating with Mayor Curley and the members of the Tammany Club to make the Christmas ball the biggest event of its kind ever held in the city.

And this ball simply completes the program of big events that have been planned for the benefit of the Christmas Basket Fund. With the general plan of campaign completed the campaigners are now hard at work in an endeavor to make each event one of the best that can be provided in order that the proceeds may be large, as they will be devoted to bringing gladness and Christmas cheer into the homes of the needy.

The Christmas Basket Editor and the campaigners that are helping him are anxious to make this year a record-breaker. Their slogan is 'GIVE NOW.'

DON'T DELAY IN GIVING.

Old and young, men and women, boys and girls, are all striving to bring up the total of the Christmas Basket Fund in order that on Christmas Day every needy family in the city can have a Christmas dinner and enjoy the one day of the year when gladness and good cheer should reign in the household.

Don't delay in your giving. Although the Christmas spirit may just now be kindling, Christmas Day is less than four weeks away and those weeks will travel fast toward the 25th of the month.

It is a gigantic task that faces the campaigners, but the gifts have been generous thus far. A much larger total is needed to bring about the desired result, which is A Merry Christmas for every needy family in Boston.

Let your [illegible] for whatever amount [illegible] may be [illegible] to the desk of the Christmas Basket Editor. Half the joy of Christmas time is in the giving, and to know that your mite has helped make someone else in the world glad.

GIVE MONEY NOW.

Each basket will cost $2. Give $2 if you can. If you can't afford to give $2 give what you can. But give, and do it now.

Through the courtesy of Senator James H. Brennan of Charlestown a collection of $17.73 was taken at a dance of the Brennan Associates at Charlestown. This sum very materially helped the cause and the Christmas Basket Editor is grateful to those who have given their assistance through the organization of which Senator Brennan is at the head.

At the Atlas A. A. bouts last Tuesday night a collection of $[illegible] was taken to help swell the fund of the Christmas [illegible].

At the [illegible] in the "Watch Your Step" company [illegible] tioned dolls dressed by the members of the Boston Opera company. $[illegible] was netted. These dolls attracted a large crowd, and it was the enthusiasm of Comedian Auctioneer [illegible] Tinney that brought the Christmas spirit to the fore.

The dansant arranged by theatrical folks for December [illegible] at the [illegible]

The [illegible] making Christmas Day the merriest that Boston has had in years. Do your part by helping to swell the proceeds of these entertainments and feel that you too have helped make some family joyful at Christmas time.

A subscription dance will be held at the Copley Plaza Hotel on Friday evening, December 16, and the annual Christmas theatrical performance will be held at the Colonial Theatre December 19.

Helping the Christmas [illegible] with [illegible] such as they would not get without the Fund.

Therefore, if you have not already become a campaigner, enlist today.

Also bear in mind the program of entertainments to be held in aid of the fund and resolve to do all in your power to swell the proceeds from each one of them.

Get each of your friends to make the same resolve.

Do it NOW.

Charitable Organizations Co-operate with Mayor in Happiness Campaign.

Here Are Gifts To Christmas Happiness Fund

Boston AMERICAN	$100.00
James M. Curley	100.00
James J. Phelan	25.00
Patrick O'Hearn	13.00
Willard P. Kellough	10.00
W. F. A. Fitzgerald	5.00
Richard Maver	10.00
Charles P. Rushforth	5.00
Friends	1.25
S. H. Hastings	5.00
D. W. H.	1.00
S. J. [illegible]	3.00
C. W. Barron	50.00
Richard Olney, 2d	10.00
Abby Barker	2.00
Charles T. Aaron	2.00
R. J. Agassiz	10.00
F. W. Mansfield	10.00
I. A. Frothingham	4.00
Basket Fund Friend	2.00
Fred Clifford	35
A Working Man, Greenfield, Mass	1.00
Topsfield, Mass	5.00
Edmund Billings	10.00
M. A. G. Tait	2.00
G. H. Pinkham	5.00
Joseph A. Maynard	10.00
Katherine Collins	.03
B. F. Smith	5.00
W. R. Evans	10.00
Bernard Beerman	2.00
Amory Eliot	10.00
George S. Baldwin	20.00
M. L. Himel	3.00
J. A. Dorsey	10.00
I. E. B., Middleboro	3.00
Edward C. Cuddy	5.00
J. F. Fitzgerald	25.00
George R. White	100.00
Edna M. Woodbury	2.00
J. M. D., East Boston	1.00
Mrs. Inez Anderson	50.00
E. N. Foss	25.00
E. W. Morse, Jr	5.00
A. A. Bishop	2.00
John I. Bates	10.00
J. H. O'Neil	10.00
John J. Cassidy	5.00
George W. Anderson	10.00
Albert Baxter	1.04
Edward C. Baldwin	2.00
F. P. Fish	15.00
Ray Cox	10.00
Thomas D. Lavelle	5.00
Daniel H. Coakley	10.00
R. M. Saltonstall	15.00
Dickey Raymond	5.00
James H. Baldwin	2.00
Philip Stockton	20.00
Edward O. Burrows	5.00
Carter, Rice & Co	10.00
F. H. Manchester, N. H.	10
C. P. K.	1.00
E. N. M.	5.00
J. G. Brackett	2.00
In Five	2.00
John Williams	2.50
Mrs. Oliver Ames, Sr	25.00
George W. Taylor	10.00
Malcolm E.	2.00
L. T. Steele	2.00
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C. D. Norris	2.00
T. J. Ahern	2.00
C. H. Innes	5.00
Stout, Scanlan & Co	5.00
Freeman Bros	5.00
F. J. McLuen	10.00
From an Old Maid	.02
Helen Ibeln	50
H. J. Bowen	2.00
Stage Hand	25
John P. Feeney	10.00
John P. Reynolds, Jr.	5.00
A. Shuman	25.00
Mrs. A. S. Porter, Jr	15.00
S. H. Bennett	10.00
Lorraine W. Strouse, So. Hinsdale, N. H	2.00
James Donovan	10.00
Thomas Dreier	5.00
John C. Cobb	5.00
Mary J. Krey	5.00
John A. Sullivan	10.00
John S. Phelps, M. D	2.00
S. L. Whipple	10.00
D. A. McInnes	10.00
Damon H. Wiggin	10
Mrs. J. H. Hamilton	1.00
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J. J. McNamara	10.00
P. A. O'Connell	10.00
D. W. Garnett	25.00
H. F. Russell	10.00
A Friend	10.00
Clerks of the First Nat'l Bank	11.50
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Fields Corner Attorney	1.00
Collection through courtesy of George V. Tuohey, manager of wrestling bouts at Mechanics Bldg., Thanksgiving night	102.25
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Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Tufts	5.00
H. E. Burroughs	5.00
J. H. Dunn	10.00
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B. Moynahan	1.00
Charles R. Gow	10.00
A Friend	100.00
H. C. Mulligan	5.00
D. Chauncey Brewer	2.50
J. T. Kennedy	10.00
John L. Saltonstall	25.00
A friend	2.00
Mashinhan	1.00
J. W. Lund	2.00
Mrs. E. L. P.	2.00
Cambridge Friend	1.00
Maurice Caro	2.00
A Friend	10.00
James A. Watson	5.00
A Little Boy	.01
Mrs. F. C. Jeffrey	5.00
Mary W. Allen	2.00
Charles S. Sullivan	3.00
Collection Boston College-Norwich University Football game	18.00
Collection Taken at Waltham High-Everett High Football game at Fenway Park	83.44
Shepard, Clark & Co., 2,000 delivery baskets.	
Dorman, Huxford & Co., quantity of canned goods.	

Britain Has Famine in Wedding Rings

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Daily Mail says there is a wedding ring famine in Great Britain, [illegible] gold is abundant. [illegible] three main causes for this shortage: the great number of war weddings, the unprecedented investment in gold rings by workers since the rise in wages, and the absorption of the jewelers' work in the aircraft and munitions factories.

The manager of a leading wholesale firm in London says his concern has orders aggregating $[illegible] which cannot be filled.

Boston College Men Petition for Cars

The students of Boston College will present a petition for better service on the Lake street line to the [illegible] tomorrow. The petition asks [illegible] car service from [illegible] street between [illegible]

Hid a Fortune in Her Stockings, Shoes and Dress

Carrying a fortune in her shoes and stockings was a habit admitted in the [illegible] her shoes [illegible] stockings and the [illegible] of her dress were the [illegible] she usually used.

She was one of the respondents in the proceedings of George H. [illegible] Miss [illegible] Mrs. [illegible]

Mrs. [illegible] did not have any regular [illegible] of her transactions with [illegible] of paper. She [illegible] several of these to refresh her memory about different [illegible] but found it difficult to give exact dates.

Villareal Facing Sedition Charges

By International News Service.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. [illegible] Villareal, Minister of [illegible] in the cabinet [illegible] by the [illegible] Constitutionalist Convention, was brought here from Vera Cruz today to be tried for sedition.

WELLMAN GUILTY OF ROBBERY CHARGES

After [illegible] robbery returned a verdict of guilty on both counts. Sentence will be imposed later.

Wellman, it is alleged, is the young man who held up and robbed several women [illegible]

The [illegible] was Mrs. Hanna Cashman, [illegible] of Murray street, [illegible] She alleged that at [illegible] 14, when on Cambridge street, [illegible] she was set upon by Wellman, who threw her to the ground and took $5 from her stocking.

In court today she [illegible] Wellman wept [illegible] the jury.

MODERN CONVENIENCES

Are [illegible] of the [illegible] suites advertised for rent in the "Apartments to Let" columns of the Boston AMERICAN today. If you would be satisfied, look them over.

Grow Carnation as Tribute to Wilson's Bride

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The carnation expert at the government [illegible] will be a [illegible] of white and deep pink.

It is scarcely to be hoped that the new blossom will be perfected in time for the wedding of the President and Mrs. [illegible]

Martial Law Used to Stop Gambling

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 2.—Martial law was declared in Jefferson parish today [illegible] in the fight to stamp out gambling, which has been [illegible]

Engravings on Exhibit

[illegible]

FRESH COD IS PLENTIFUL AND CHEAP

[illegible] they have [illegible] common to this season are [illegible] plenty and lower than they have been during the past few weeks. Large amounts of cod [illegible] off the Jersey coast and [illegible] New York [illegible]

FALSE TEETH HELD FIRMLY IN PLACE BY WILSON'S COREGA

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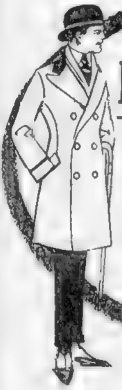

The men who can get here Friday or Saturday will share in one of those Money-Saving Sales in New Clothes that happens every now and then, but which no one can count on until they do happen.

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P. S. We have also [illegible] from our regular stock a number [illegible]

Sale Begins 8:30 Friday Morning

Sister to Contest Edward Friebe Will

Catherine Fr[illegible] of Mattapan [illegible] **today** in [illegible] **tion** to contest the [illegible] of the **will of her** [illegible] Friebe of **Cohasset** who died [illegible]

Under that will she receives two [illegible] and the [illegible] The remainder of the estate goes to a niece and two nephews, and upon her death the [illegible]

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"Pape's Cold Compound" ends severe colds or grippe in few hours

You can end grippe and break up a severe cold [illegible]

It promptly [illegible]

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SERIOUS SPLIT IN DEMOCRATS OF CONGRESS

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN,
International News Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—[illegible] before the opening of Congress the majority party was facing the most serious split in its ranks since the days of Grover Cleveland. It arises over a fight between the so-called conservative and radical elements [illegible] in both branches.

The team work which marked the [illegible] of the Democratic [illegible] the W[illegible] administration [illegible] entirely disappeared. **Every effort is being made** by the leaders to force a compromise.

With the Democratic majority in the House narrowed down to almost the disappearing mark, a very few disgruntled members there could effectively block legislation, and the opponents of expenditures for military purposes in that body, led by [illegible] Kitchin, were today [illegible] to their [illegible] [illegible] an effort to [illegible] from the [illegible]

[illegible] was close to the rocks. [illegible] debate has split the [illegible]

[illegible] against the [illegible] of Senator [illegible] Senators Reed of Missouri and Chilton of West Virginia has helped widen the split. They have selected Senator Pomerene of Ohio as their standard bearer and today [illegible] only five additional votes to win when the roll is called in the conference tomorrow morning.

The [illegible] was taken [illegible] Senator [illegible] would [illegible] vote in caucus [illegible] oppose [illegible] on the ground that a bare majority [illegible] override [illegible] legislation and an [illegible] vote should be made to carry it.

RT. REV. DR. WILLIAM G. THAYER, leading candidate for Episcopal Bishop of Maine

THAYER IN LEAD FOR BISHOP OF MAINE

The Rev. William G. Thayer, D. D., of Southboro, one of the twenty millionaire ministers of Massachusetts, is the leading candidate for election to the bishopric of Maine to succeed the late Bishop Robert Codman, who died in Boston some time ago.

Five ballots were taken yesterday without making a choice. Dr. Thayer had a majority of the votes in the laymen's box, and Very Rev. Frank [illegible] Vernon of St. Luke's Cathedral, Portland, had a majority of the [illegible] votes. Balloting will be resumed after the holidays.

Dr. Thayer is headmaster of St. **Mark's School at Southboro. Before** going there he was master at the Groton School. His only parish was that of St. Andrew's Church, Ayer, which he resigned some time ago.

Dr. Thayer is president of the standing committee of the Episcopal diocese of Massachusetts and is also one of the clerical delegates to the general convention. When the Rhode Island See was vacant a few years ago Dr. Thayer's name was mentioned for that vacancy but was [illegible] withdrawn [illegible] He [illegible] of the University of New York [illegible] the University [illegible] of Boston.

Surgical Fund Grows.

The Old Colony Trust Company [illegible] contributions of $[illegible] to the fund for surgical dressings for the wounded of the European war [illegible] total to date of $14,19[illegible]

FIND 106,640 WOMEN ARE UNDERPAID

Out of 189,742 women workers in Massachusetts, 106,640 receive less than $9 a week for their work.

As a result of their investigation which has revealed this condition, the Minimum Wage Commission has issued recommendations which it urges employers to adopt, beginning January 1.

Among the low paid women workers the leading industries rank as follows:

In cotton goods industries, women paid less than $9 number 27,920.

In woolen and worsted work, 11,945.

Boots and shoes, 8,844.

Hosiery, 4,460.

Candy, 4,007.

Electrical machinery, 3,303.

Corsets, 1,560.

Jewelry, 1,437.

Suspenders and elastic goods, 1,001.

The recommendations issued by the Minimum Wage Commission apply especially to the retail trade, and the principal paragraph reads:

URGE $8.50 MINIMUM.

"No experienced female employe of ordinary ability shall be employed in retail stores of Massachusetts at a rate of wages less than $8.50 a week, and that no female employe of ordinary ability who has reached the age of eighteen shall be employed at a rate of wages less than $7 a week."

Secretary E. N. Matthews of the commission said in reference to the changes which have been made in the State with regard to wages:

"The brush industry is now paying 17½ cents an hour. The laundry industry has been asked to pay $8 a week, while on the first of January the retail stores of the Commonwealth will pay $8.50 a week as a minimum wage.

"This matter of wages has been carefully studied by the commission. They urge that no female of ordinary ability who has reached the age of seventeen years shall be employed at a rate of wages less than $7 a week.

"The reason why so many women in this State receive less than $9 a week in comparison with other States is due to the fact that there are more women in this State than in many others.

FEWER IN SOUTH.

"In many of the Southern States there are fewer women.

"The employees of industries should take more interest in this matter of wages. They too should be willing to render some information of a practical nature to the solution of the wage problem.

"There are 189,742 women employed in this State, and out of this number 106,640 are receiving less than $9 a week.

"Take for instance, the occupation of printing and publishing which is considered in many respects a good paying trade. 94[illegible] out of [illegible] women employes receive less than a living wage, which is between $8 to $9. Women working in millinery and lace goods [illegible] get less than $9 a week.

"Considering the high cost of living, it would seem that wages of $9 are none too much for the average woman, considering all that she must do with her said.

"Those who do not conform to the [illegible] wage [illegible] may in many cases be blacklisted. The object of the commission is to make the best suggestions after a careful and reasonable survey of the whole field."

MISS ELVIRA LEVERONI, opera star, who will sing in a concert at Tremont Temple tonight.

Hobbs' Brother Held as Fugitive

HAVERHILL, Dec. [illegible]—Charles Hobbs, wanted by the authorities in Portsmouth, N. H., on the charge of assisting his brother, Henry Hobbs, in [illegible] the latter's wife, Mrs. Millie Hobbs, and who is fighting extradition to that city, was arraigned here today as a fugitive from justice. Judge Wilson continued the case till Saturday. Hobbs is out on $[illegible] bail.

Held for $1,140 Theft.

Salvatore Rebetto of the North End, charged with stealing $1,140 from Nicola [illegible] of Everett, was held in $[illegible] for a hearing December 8 today in the Charlestown court.

MISS LEVERONI WILL SING AT CONCERT

Miss Elvira Leveroni, the contralto of the Boston Opera Company, will be heard for the first time in nearly a year in concert in Boston tonight at Tremont Temple, when she appears with Miss Schreiner[illegible] Michael J. Dwyer and [illegible] Smith. It is the second concert in the regular course at the Temple and the program has an Irish tinge since Mr. Dwyer sings Irish ballads and the opera artists will make use of some songs of Erin.

Miss Leveroni was born in the North End of Boston and was a pupil of the late Signor Rotoli. When a very young girl she went to Italy for further study and appeared with great success in the Italian opera houses. When the Boston Opera was founded seven years ago Miss Leveroni was engaged to sing minor roles.

She forged rapidly to the front until she was singing the big mezzo-soprano parts with great success. She was engaged for Covent Garden three years in succession and was one of the big hits of the Boston Opera's season in Paris.

When Max Rabinoff reorganized the Boston Opera Miss Leveroni was one of the first artists whose signature to a contract he sought and she has been singing important roles with him all season.

EXPECT VERDICT IN SHIP PLOT BEFORE NIGHT

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Dr. Karl Buenz and the other Hamburg-American line officials and employes on trial for conspiracy to defraud the government expected to know their fate before court adjournment tonight. Federal Judge Howe convened court half an hour earlier today to give the jurors a chance to render a verdict without being locked up over night.

Argument by counsel and the court's instructions to the jury were all that remained to be done. In his rulings on the evidence Judge Howe had indicated that the defendants had a right to send out the supply ships to coal and provision German warships in the Atlantic; that there was no violation of neutrality and no infraction of international law. This left the whole case resting on the alleged false manifests and the fact that the chartered ships did not go to their ports of designation.

William Rand, Jr., chief counsel for the defence, led in the argument. Rand pointed out that the defendants were charged with four crimes: falsifying the destination of the chartered supply ships, falsifying the shippers of the cargoes, falsifying the contents of the cargoes, and falsifying the value of the cargoes.

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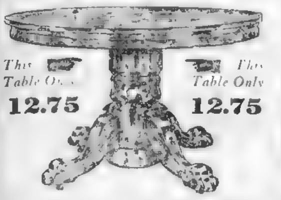

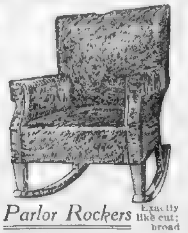

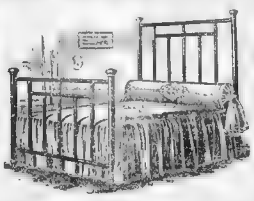

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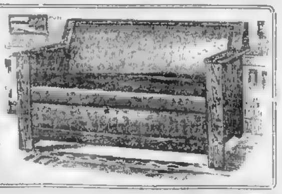

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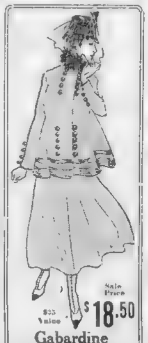

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Anti-British Opinions of Matthew Cummings Are Said to Be the Cause.

"All Except a Few Toadies Are Loyal to the Order," Says Cummings.

The Canadian members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians are planning secession, according to dispatches from Fredericton, N. B., today, because of the anti-British expressions by American members of the body, among whom they object especially to Matthew Cummings of Boston, former president of the order.

Matthew Cummings said today:

"Canadians are loyal to Canada, not to Great Britain. They live under the maple leaf, not the union jack. With the exception of a few toadies the members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians are loyal to the parent organization. I have been hearing these rumors of Canadian secession for 12 years.

"The membership in Canada is very small, less than 5,000, and we have always had to carry them along. As former national president, State president and county president and one who has held every office in the order, I say the organization will not be diverted from its purpose and traditions.

"It's an old story."

John F. [illegible]nelly of Cambridge, State president of the order, said the same thing.

NOT UNEXPECTED

"There has been an undercurrent running in this direction in Canada for some time," he explained.

"Action looking toward a withdrawal from the order was not unexpected.

"The cause of Canada's action, as I understand it, is their objection to individual expressions of opinion hostile to the British by members of the order in this country.

"I believe the Canadian attitude is unjustified; for while individuals have expressed opinion both favorable and hostile to the cause of the allies, the organization both in the State and nation is uncommitted.

"No sentiments have been expressed on either side by the national board, so far as I know. They may have done it without my knowledge.

As for Mr. Cummings, while he has expressed his own opinion, he has never claimed to represent the body in any way. Though he is a former national president he has no national office now. He is president of Division 26 in Neponset but in his utterances he has not even assumed to represent that division. He has spoken strictly as an individual.

The first step toward secession was taken at the meeting at Fredericton, N. B., when an order was passed that the editor of the National Hibernian be instructed to stop sending it to Canada, and a referendum vote on the whole question was ordered.

One official said "Too much Cummings" was the trouble; another said the sentiments expressed by the national organization for America do not suit us Canadians.

A formal statement issued after the meeting read:

"We decided to notify the editor of the National Hibernian to discontinue until further notice sending the official publication of the order in America to members in the Maritime Provinces.

"Protests were received in large numbers expressing regret that irresponsible Irishmen would fall so low as to doubt the Irish going forward to the battlefields. The sense of the opinion of the meeting was that the action of John Redmond and the Irish soldiers who are enlisting to fight the battles of the empire was an index of the feeling of the Canadian Hibernians."

Back Bay Man Fined in Labor Law Case

Walter C. Parsons, a contractor living on Commonwealth avenue, was fined $50 today in the Roxbury court on a charge of violating the labor laws. It was alleged he failed to pay one of his workmen, Archibald M. Sweeney, $16 due for wages. Parsons paid the fine.

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IN A NUTSHELL

By HOWARD NOBLE

PROHIBITION IS A FALLACY. Experience proves it a legislative delusion, and history emphasizes the lesson. It has never solved the problem of intemperance; it has aggravated the evils it sought to cure.

Indeed, instead of being a cure for social and political ills, it is itself a menace. The case against Prohibition rests on many counts. In a nutshell, the salient points would stand forth somewhat as follows:

Spirit of Blue Laws

The Anti-Saloon League has thrust certain religious denominations into politics. The spirit behind the movement is that of the framers of the Blue Laws. Prohibition has been justly called the Blue Peril, and unless checked this and similar movements will destroy every vestige of individual liberty. This tendency is manifest in the burden of repressive legislation which encumbers the statutes of every State, and which tend, because of the impossibility of enforcing them, to bring other and just laws into contempt.

The League seeks to control legislatures and Congress in order to enact national prohibition. Such a movement is a menace to free government. Should it succeed it would be against the wishes of the majority of the people, whose legislatures would be bulldozed into ratifying the Amendment.

Experience of States

The experience of prohibition States furnishes a guide to what would happen in the country at large. Massachusetts experimented with prohibition (1852-1875). That period was one of lawlessness unexampled in the history of the State, and when license was finally re-enacted it was upon petition of thousands of voters, headed by foremost citizens. Maine has had prohibition 60 years. Drunkenness and other evils attending the abuse of liquor are far greater in Maine than in license communities. Conditions in Kansas in some respects are no better. In the prohibition South the law is treated with contempt and this condition finds its natural sequel in general lawlessness.

Nation-wide prohibition would fail because a large majority of the adult male population use liquor, and because the will of a minority cannot be enforced against the majority. The insincerity of the Hobson Resolution is shown in the limiting phrase "for sale." Every man would have the right to manufacture liquor for his own use. Such activities are forbidden by the Government now, but under "nation-wide" they would be legal. Millions of gallons of liquor would be imported from Canada and Mexico, for "private use," and again the Government would be powerless. This situation would mean the creation of an army of Government liquor spies numbering hundreds of thousands—a force large enough to control a presidential election.

Disaster Unparalleled

Prohibition would plunge the nation into an economic disaster of appalling proportions. It would mean more than a million wage-earners out of work and the destruction of several billion dollars' worth of property. It would deprive the Government of about one-third of its entire revenue and would seriously cripple the revenues of States, counties and cities. It would not mean the suppression of liquor drinking. By outlawing the traffic and at the same time conferring the right upon all to manufacture and import liquor for "personal use," lawlessness would be fostered and crime increased. Both from a financial and a moral standpoint nation-wide prohibition would prove a disaster unparalleled.

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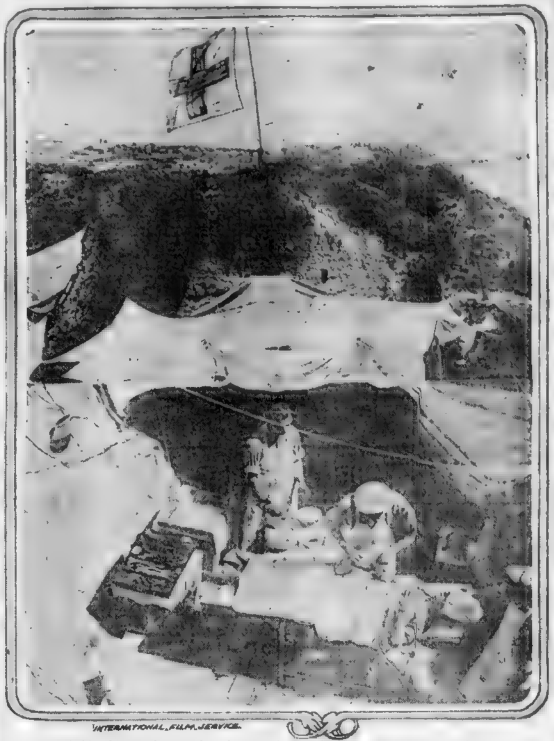
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MELLEN TELLS OF FIGHTING GRAND TRUNK

By International News Service

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"I never opposed the charter," said Mellen. [illegible] under [illegible] have had to shoulder a great deal of the burden, and as its president I naturally was averse to this expense. For that reason only I appeared in the Rhode Island Legislature in opposition to the plan."

Mellen told of having a farm near Stockbridge, Mass., [illegible] which [illegible]

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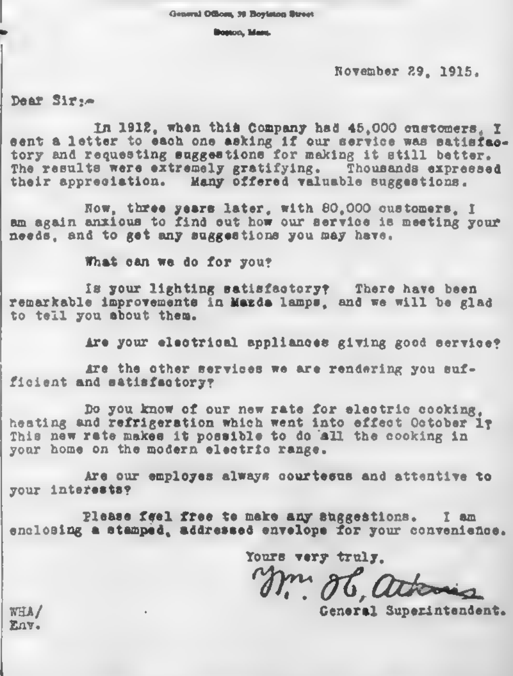

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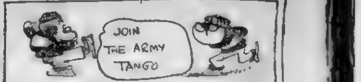

Bringing Up Father

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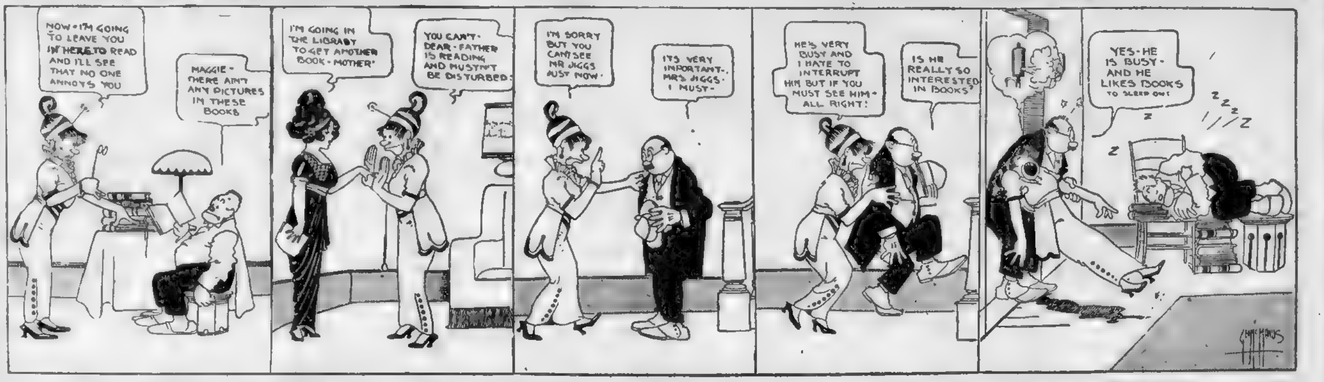
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FRED MITCHELL RELEASED BY THE BRAVES

By HERMAN NICKERSON.

I heard from Fred Mitchell, late scout of the Braves and now coach of the Harvard baseball squad this morning. Fred is living at his farm in Stow, Mass., and has not come in town since it was settled that he take charge of the Crimson squad. In a day or two this trip will be made and the date determined for his taking hold. Fred had severed his connection with the Braves. He wrote President Gaffney some time ago when he had the proposition of coaching in hand and received a reply congratulating him.

AGREES UPON RELEASE.

President Gaffney agreed upon his release, so Fred, being a free agent could complete the transfer from being held upon the reserve list as a player.

Coach Mitchell's relations with [illegible] Braves were always pleasant and he leaves the club with the well wishes of all, from the owners [illegible] boy. He will not return to professional baseball unless an opening affords where he can manage.

It would seem that his future in baseball rests upon the result of his labors at Harvard. If he can produce the goods, and all who know him are sure he will, Fred will not find himself looking for work.

Harvard needs a clever baseball man and the committee is quick to detect good work. This should insure Mitchell a long contract.

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It may seem like taking a trip to where the fields are green when you start for the new offices of the Red Sox out at Arborway Court, but after you get there it is a fine place, fitted up for the comforts of the office force. Today was opening day there with Secretary Eddie Riley very much on the job "settling."

LORD SIGNS WITH THE BUFFEDS.

There is not much doing in baseball, but a few items crept into the news over night. Harry Lord, former Red Sox star, and later with the White Sox, has signed with the Buffalo [illegible].

In St. Louis they are discussing the possibility of Bob Bescher's leaving the Cardinals. With him Hub Perdue and Hank Robinson are named to leave.

The Tygers have had a training camp picked for them. President Frank Navin makes the announcement that his team will work out at Waxahackie, Texas.

President B. B. Johnson has issued a call for the American League's annual meeting. It will be held December 15 at Chicago.

Basketball Notes

J. J. SMITH of the wrestling committee of the N. E. A. A. A. U. is running the Cambridge Social Union team this season. It opened by playing Company C, Eighth Regiment, 40 to 10. Left Forward Miller shot 14 baskets.

STILL another Roxbury semi-professional team is in the field. George Stretch, manager of Roxbury Neighborhood House, claims his five is the best in the district. Eddie Dever, who is conditioning the squad, reports it in rare form.

TONIGHT Roxbury Neighborhood opens their season at home with Lincoln A. A. of Brighton. Between halves the juniors will meet Sewell.

FORMER college and high school players compose Stretch's team. The Gate brothers, Tom and Matty, are the forwards. Eddie [illegible] is the centre and Stretch and Mullin are in the backfield.

STRETCH would like to hear from teams for at-home games for Friday nights and away-from-home games for Saturday nights. Address George Stretch, No. [illegible] [illegible] street.

THE Foxboro, Mass., team is looking for games with 120 and 13?-pound teams. Address Manager Lester H. Barton, Foxboro.

FRANCIS G. PHINN, manager of the St. Alphonsus five, which went through last season with a clear record, is back in the field. Home games for Saturday nights are sought.

THE lineup includes O'Neil, Carlson, Curley, Galvin, McDonald and Durkin, all of last year's team, with several strong new members. For games address Manager Phinn, No. 12 Oswald street, Roxbury.

MANAGER "Billy" Wall of the South Boston Independents announces that his team would like to arrange games with 110-pound teams. He can be reached at No. 311 Third street, South Boston, or by phone, South Boston 699-2.

COMPANY H, Sixth Infantry, of Stoneham, wants games with amateur teams in Greater Boston. Private J. P. Byron, the manager, announces a fast lineup.

THE Blossom street ward room will be used every Wednesday night by the West End House Independents. They desire at-home games for Wednesdays and away-from-home games for Saturdays.

BASKETBALL is booming at the Cabot street gymnasium. Director Dave Ownes reports that a host of fives are engaged in play and that interest in the sport is running high.

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Just An Earful—By TAD

TOM SHARKEY was once a gent of great wealth. He had a gilded cafe, two or three bank books, and a bunch of swell rocks.

Tim McGrath, Tom's old trainer and handler, hasn't seen the ex-deck scrubber for five years and came on from the West for a visit. Tom was delighted to see Tim and vice versa. Tim gave the joint the up and down and then remarked out of the side of his mouth, "Some dump."

Sharkey threw out his chest a foot.

"Tim," he drawled, "come down to my wine cellar and I'll show you SOME wine."

They got below decks and Tom pointed out all the different sorts of wine.

"They're mine, Tim, and there's every kind of wine there that anyone could ask for. All mine, too. Can you beat it?"

A rat darted out from behind a barrel. Tim took a kick at it and almost fell down. "Don't do that," yelled Sharkey, "[illegible]'s mine, too."

Tim then was shown other kegs of sparkling wines in the rear of the spacious cellar. He saw crates of champagne and bottles of the choicest French wines. After having given the place a swell slant they went upstairs again. Tom stopped at the bar and, calling the bartender, said, "Boy, let's have two glasses of domestic beer."

DON'T KILL THAT RAT HE'S MINE

TUFTS BANKS ON HARVARD GAME NEXT FALL

The annual banquet given by the Tower Cross Society to the Tufts football squad took place last night in Goddard Gymnasium. The speakers were President Herman Carey Bumpus, Austin B. Fletcher, president of the Board of Trustees, Professor Leo Lewis and Captain Parks of the football team.

President Bumpus spoke at length on the splendid showing of the eleven and promised a harder schedule for next year. Harvard and Dartmouth are expected to be on Tufts 1916 gridiron menue.

President Fletcher announced that good progress had been made towards recovering the reservoir from the State. It is planned to erect a stadium on the site if it is finally secured.

Oliver D. (Ollie) Wescott was elected captain of the 1916 team. He is a former Dean Academy player and has starred in Tufts backfield the past three campaigns. Wescott has been the mainstay of the Tufts attack and his ability to hurl the forward pass made him the most valuable player on the 1915 machine.

The Freshman defeated the Sophomores in the annual bag rush on Tufts oval by a score of 42 to 33, thereby winning the right to fly their class flags during the current school term.

The contest was the hottest ever seen in lower class competition. It was undecided up to the last minute of play when the Freshmen succeeded in getting the final bag over the line. The winners were led by Marshall [illegible] and the Sophomores were commanded by "Fritz" O'Mara, the varsity pitcher.

Rindge Star Is to Move on to Exeter

Ernest Metivier, captain of the Rindge Tech Football team, and also first choice for a half back position on the all-scholastic eleven, will enter Exeter Academy after his graduation next June.

Metivier has played on the Rindge team for three years. He is nineteen years old and weighs 167 pounds.

Andover Names Russell.

ANDOVER, Dec. 2.—Guard William W. Russell of Oak Hill, N. B., has been elected captain of the 1916 Phillips Andover eleven.

Quincy Selects McNamara.

Mathew McNamara, '17, who played right guard on this season's Quincy High eleven, has been elected next Fall's captain.

At Last Penn Leads.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—Haverford's defeat of Columbia, 3 to 0, puts Pennsylvania in first place in the Intercollegiate Soccer League race.

CARLISLE COACH OUT WITH A BIG HOWL

CARLISLE, Pa., Dec 2.—In an interview given out today, Gus Welch, former quarterback on the Carlisle Indians, indignantly denied that as assistant coach for the Indian football team, called in five weeks before the past season ended, he was to blame for all the ill fortune as has been charged by Victor M. Kelly.

Welch claims that Kelly's lack of personality, inability to handle a football squad and lack of system, which the players quickly discovered, led to his downfall. He says that Kelly's ability to talk made many think him a good coach, and adds that Kelly asked him to assume charge of the squad after he found out he could not do it himself five weeks before the season closed.

Welch claims that about November 1 Kelly was secretly deposed as head coach, although allowed to remain on the campus until the season ended. He says that an effort is being made to make him the "goat" and he wants the public to know the truth.

Welch further charged that Kelly did not play at Carlisle in 1908 long enough to get his letter, and, that after ten weeks enrollment, he was dismissed as an "undesirable." Welch says that Kelly, who comes here from Texas, the home of Commissioner Sells, was appointed for political reasons by Sells. The naming of the coach had formerly been done by the school superindendent.

Many G. B. Boys Get 'Cs' at Colby

WATERVILLE, Me., Dec. 2.—Massachusetts boys were in the majority when football "Cs" were awarded by Colby's athletic council last night. Those getting their letters were: Captain Irving R. Stanwood, Needham; Benjamin F. Le Seur, Hyde Park; Horace Coolidge, Wellesley; John M. Stinson, Prospect Harbor, Me.; John G. Selby, Camden, N. J.; Francis M. Heath, Waterville, Me.; Ernest Perry, Lawrence; John Deasey, Houlton, Me.; Alan R. Fraser, Dorchester; George Hendricks, New Rochelle, N. Y.; Irving Perry, Brookline; Edward Cawley, Lowell; Harold McCormack, New Haven, Ct.; Howard B. Taft, Uxbridge, and Harry Bourne, Allston. The captain for 1916 will be elected next week.

Millstreams Play Wanderers.

The Millstreams and Neponset Wanderers clash in a post-season football game Saturday. The St. Alphonsus eleven is already out with a defi to the winner for a game December 11.

MORAN GETS BID FOR RETURN GO WITH COFFEY

Moran, Not Fulton, May Be Willard's First Foe

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Frank Moran, and not Fred Fulton, may be Jess Willard's first opponent. New Orleans promoters, who will stage a twenty-round bout for the heavyweight championship during Mardi Gras week, next March, have wired Moran for his terms to box Willard.

By ED. CURLEY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Frank Moran can add $5,000 to his bankroll if he will fight Jim Coffey a return battle of ten rounds. Moran demands $12,500, with the privilege of 40 per cent. for fighting Coffey. And there you are.

"Billy" Gibson, manager of Coffey, was the first to fire a gun splattering real money. To this big inducement Ike Dorgan, who is leading man for Moran, turned one of his shell-like ears—the deaf one—and paid not the slightest attention. Gibson, being a persistent gent, gradually explained what he was offering and then Dorgan came back with his views.

There is no dodging the fact that this scrap would be the real thriller of the season. Coffey is back in his old ascendancy, having been lifted there by the right hand poke he slipped "Gunboat" Smith the other evening. As you'll probably remember that poke prevented the Gunner from continuing the fracas.

Right off the bat came the howl for another scrap between Moran and Coffey. Gibson then got busy. He figured closely and then shot the offer at Moran. To which Ike Dorgan came back with his willing proposition.

The fact that Moran is now agreeable to another battle with Coffey indicates that another battle will be staged. When two managers throw out feelers as to how much dough they'll grab, nothing can stop the contemplated from becoming a reality. Anyone that has the pleasure of knowing managers will bet on this forecast.

Aberg and Cutler Will Try It Again

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Alex Aberg, the world's champion Graeco-Roman wrestler, will defend his title tonight. The big Russian faces Charley Cutler, the American grappler, in a match to a finish in the International tournament at the Manhattan Opera House.

This match is not one of the regularly scheduled affairs. It is a special one brought about through ill feeling between the men. In Boston last week Aberg threw Cutler in straight falls.

B. A. A. Boxing Show Sure to Prove Hit

George V. Brown reports that entries are pouring in for the open classes at the amateur sparring tournament to be given in the B. A. A. Gym Saturday night, December 2. The open classes are the 125, 140 and 158-pound division.

Roller Draws with Aberg.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Alex Aberg wrestled a 20-minute draw with Dr. B. F. Roller in the International tournament at the Manhattan Opera House last night. George Lurich threw Helmar Johnson, while "Strangler" Lewis topped Le Colosse.

Dundee and Bloom Tonight.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Johnny Dundee is on the edge for his ten-round siesta with Phil Bloom at the Pioneer Sporting Club tonight.

BOXING BRIEFS and GOSSIP

AS the AMERICAN told boxing lovers in its late editions yesterday, Mike Glover and Ted Lewis are to have it out again in Boston, either this month or in January.

GLOVER gurgles at the idea of Lewis reversing the decision next time. "I knew I had Ted's number; said so in advance and proved it in the ring," stated Glover today. "Meet Ted again? Dee-lighted! It insures me a pile of money and that's what I'm in the game for."

IVY LEWIS, Mish Murray & Co. are busy fixing up the Hippodrome, where the rest of the big shows are to be staged during the Winter.

F[illegible] next Tuesday night's big number Jeff Smith, one of the many claimants of the world's middleweight title, will hook up with George Chip of Newcastle, Pa.

IT is given out that Smith and Chip will come together at 158 pounds. If Chip makes that notch he will be at his best, as George has come in way overweight in a lot of his recent scraps and worked very slovenly as a result.

SMITH is managed by Al Lippe, formerly allied with the firm of Abie Attell and Ikey Bloom. Though since 1912 Smith has been doing most of his boxing in foreign rings, operating most of the time in Australia, he is a U. S. product, being a native of New York city and born April 23, 1891, if Lippe isn't kidding in his elaborate billing.

IN Smith's record are two bouts with Les Darcy, the loudly touted Australian middleweight. January 23 last Smith claims to have knocked out Darcy in five rounds, while May 22 he lost to Les on a foul in two rounds.

SMITH has also beaten Jimmy Clabby; lost to Eddie McGoorty and stepped ten lively rounds with Mike Gibbons.

JOHNNY SCHIFF, who claims to be California's premier featherweight, takes his pen in hand—some pen and some pen scrawl—and writes the AMERICAN from Montreal that [illegible] will be in Boston next week to join his pal, Ted Lewis.

SCHIFF states that he and Lewis did Australia together not long ago and cleaned up. His letterhead has him winning in Paris, London, Sydney and Havana.

THAM LANGFORD, the Boston Tar-baby, meets Harry Wills, the lanky New Orleans brunette, who outpointed Sam McVea at the Atlas during the Summer, at the Harlem Sporting Club, New York, tomorrow night.

Amateurs Show in Brockton.

St. Patrick's T. A. Society of Brockton is confident it is going to stage just about the best amateur boxing show of the season tomorrow night. Clark Hall will be the scene of the performance. There will be bouts in the 125-pound class, novice, and the 135-pound class, open.

Ring Results

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Dec. 2.—Soldier Bartfield knocked out Italian Joe Gans in the fourth round at Bill Brown's club. Bartfield had Gans going early and ended the fight with a terrific right to the stomach.

NEW LONDON, Ct., Dec. 2.—Johnny (Kid) Alberts of Elizabeth, N. J., made [illegible] Brown of Boston quit in the eleventh round of a [illegible] twelve-round contest at the Nutmeg A. C. Brown floored twice for the count in the eighth round, was sent down again in the eleventh and when he regained his feet [illegible]

Business Notice.

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YALE A. A. PICKS NEW FOOTBALL BOARD

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 2.—The Yale Athletic Association has appointed a committee, consisting of Vance C. McCormick, captain of the 1892 eleven; Samuel B. ("Brink") Thorne, who piloted the 1896 team, and John R. Kilpatrick, the noted end of the 1911 eleven, to look after the football situation to see what should, and can, be done.

The committee was vested with power to add to its personnel if it so desired. The committee will investigate the present football system, and when satisfied with its findings will make a report to Yale A. A. If its recommendations are satisfactory they will be ratified.

The committee will undoubtedly select a new system, recommend a new head coach and make such other recommendations as it deems wise in putting Yale football once more on an efficient basis. It was requested by the athletic committee to go into the situation exhaustively.

While the committee will report its recommendations to both the athletic committee and corporation, or university or trustee board, the ratification will be a merely nominal affair. McCormick, Thorne and Kilpatrick are expected to install a system which will prove permanent.

The three committee members are football stars who have been successful in business since leaving Yale. McCormick played football three years at Yale, captaining the 1892 eleven. He has since been Mayor of Harrisburg, Pa., where he is in business.

Thorne captained the 1895 winning eleven and is a coal mine owner and business man of extensive experience in Pennsylvania. Kilpatrick was one of Yale's shining ends and track stars four years ago. He has been a successful business man in New York city since his graduation and has been a member of the Yale athletic committee for two years.

A New Spring Home for Old Eli's Crews

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Dec. 2.—Yale probably will order a radical rowing innovation next Spring in transferring its crews for practice and racing to the Housatonic River just below Derby. The graduate rowing committee has investigated a course of two and three miles which is ideal for early season racing. As New Haven Harbor affords only rough water for early practice the committee has recommended that the entire squad be transferred to the sheltered Housatonic.

Benefit for "Kid" Lavigne.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Sam Fitzpatrick, who enabled Jack Johnson to win the world's title, is arranging a benefit for "Kid" Lavigne, the veteran battler. Lavigne held the lightweight championship when Jack McAuliffe retired.

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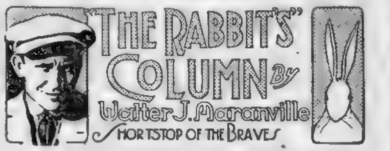

THE RABBITS' COLUMN By Walter J. Maranville SHORTSTOP OF THE BRAVES

GOT word the other day that Eddie Burns—you remember he'd did all the catching for the Phillies in the World's Series—has married. Now I suppose they will say that Pat Moran is not his only manager. The lady's name?—Miss Virginia La Porte of Montrey, Cal.

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IF you happen to know Clarence William Walker, outfielder of the St. Louis Browns, just drop him a line and tell him that in all well regulated hotels they have a safe for the reception of money and jewels owned by guests.

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WALKER had a diamond ring valued at $1,000 and $600 in real money in a purse which he entrusted to the care of Johnny Evers, just before a morning game at Oakland, Cal., a week or so ago. Johnny put the "stuff" in his trousers pocket and forgot all about it. When Johnny dressed at the hotel for the afternoon game he left his trousers, ring, money and all in his room. Walker asked him about his property when they reached the park and J. J. told him. They say Walker only hit the high spots getting to a phone. It took him so long to find out that "stuff" was safe he lost the first inning. When he did get into the game he burned up the outfield. After this, Walker, watch your step.

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ARTHUR IRWIN'S plan of taking a team of minor league players to the Canal zone to play a series there this Winter and next Spring, sounds like a good one to me. As no major leaguer may apply, the boys "in the bush" will get some money, as well as experience, and a pleasure trip. The plan should go a long way toward making baseball popular in that part of the world.

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I WAS glad to read that my old friend Fred Mitchell has practically signed to coach the Harvard University baseball nine next Spring. Fred is certainly the right man for the place. He knows the game and possesses a personality which is pleasing. I figure the Athletic Committee did a wise thing from all angles. Fred will be missed on our training trip, where he was invaluable in working out the young pitchers, as well as acting as Boss Stallings' lieutenant.

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EDDIE MAHAN'S recent statement that there would be "nothing doing" with him until he graduates only accentutes the thought that he is a clear-headed young man off the field as well as on.

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GROVER CLEVELAND ALEXANDER is in a position similar to a famous humorist. G. C. declares "The announcement of my engagement to marry is grossly exaggerated."

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BLACK'S election as captain of Yale's football team, was certainly "a dark horse."

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WONDER if the Eli's under Black can beat Harvard Black and Blue?

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EVER since I was a small boy, old enough to read the papers, there has been a Fogler in a six-day bicycle race list. The coming events in New York will again see the veteran rider on his wheel. He ranks with Moran, Root, Walthour, and Kramer as tireless plodders in this heart-breaking event.

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I LEARN with regret that my old chums, Tommy McCarthy and Clyde Engle, lost the title of doubles champions of the Scarboro Golf Club to Joe Farren and Fred Jackson. This won't do. Get after them, Tommy!

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"BILLY" SMITH, who managed the Atlanta, Ga., club last year, has been dropped by the management. In the Spring trip last season he forced the team to play on a day when the temperature rivaled anything we get here with the east wind blowing. The field was in awful shape. Mayer played centre field on a raft.

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GOT a letter from George Whitted the other day. George says that the pair of hunting dogs Oscar Dugey sent him are proving adept at chasing the elusive possum.

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THESE dogs came through on a bet. One day Oscar was bewailing his fate at being traded from the Braves to the Phillies.

"Doggone it, George," said he, "Who ever suggested me in this trade?"

"Why," replied Whitted, 'they left it to me to pick the man, and knowing your sterling worth and value as a man to bring the pennant to Philadelphia, I grabbed you.'"

"If we win the flag," growled Oscar, "I'll send you the best pair of hunting dogs I can find."

The flag was won and the dogs are barking for George down in the land where "the makings" come from.

Bridges Is New Pilot.

William Bridges, English High's crack end and halfback and one of the best punters in interscholastic circles, has been elected captain of next Fall's eleven.

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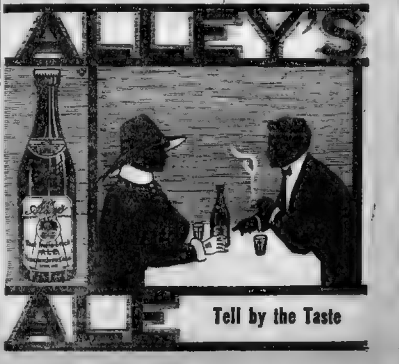

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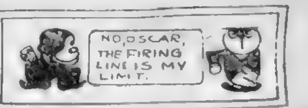
NO, OSCAR, THE FIRING LINE IS MY LIMIT.

ROOTERS CHEER EVERETT TEAM IN GETAWAY

By JOHN W. MORAN, JR

That the entire student body might go to the South Station to see the team off for Detroit today, all clases at the Everett High School suspended at 11 o'clock this morning. The team leaves at 2 o'clock for the "City of Flivvers" and will arrive there at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The student body, more than 400 strong, together with a big party of Everett rooters are on their way to the South Station. They will make the big train shed resound with their songs and cheers. Already they have cheered each individual member of the team and Coach Cleo O'Donnell as well.

The team has had its last workout in Boston and save for a light practice at Bennett Field, Detroit, tomorrow forenoon are through with preparatory work. While confident that the team will come through, Everett is by no means suffering from too much of that stuff. They are possessed of the quality of confidence which augurs for a win.

STARS ASSIST O'DONNELL.

In their last strenuous practice session, which began at 2 o'clock and continued until darkness set in, they were driven by several coaches who came to assist O'Donnell. Cahail, formerly a Holy Cross coach, Doc Mooney, the old Andover halfback, and Morrison and Hansen, two all scholastic veterans, assisted.

It was while the practice session was on that the student body marched to the field and took seats in the stand. They hadn't been there long ere they burst into cheers for the team and its clever coach.

In the last hard practice especial attention was paid to the subject of defence and if Detroit Central is able to do much with the Everett line they are entitled to all they get. A second team was used against the first eleven yesterday with Quarterback Fitzgerald calling the plays for them.

Those who watched the practice wondered just why some of the plays shown yesterday by Fitzgerald were not in evidence against Waltham. They certainly were baffling and of a variety which would produce scores against most any team.

Should Detroit Central resort to the style of play shown here a few years ago by Bob Zupphe's team and Everett make use of the new plays O'Donnell has taught them the game will certainly be one of the finest exhibitions of the open game ever staged.

FITZ MAY START GAME.

Indications now are that despite the fact Fitzgerald is not in the best of condition he will start Saturday's game. Silva will be held in reserve for the quarterback post, but will start the game at end. Should Silva have to go to quarter Lynch will replace him at the end of the line.

Detroit Central will outweigh Everett almost ten pounds to the man, but despite their superior weight Everett is not fearful. The Detroit line will average 170 pounds to Everett's 157. Detroit's backfield weighs about two pounds more to the man than does Everett's.

Goulding Accused of Walking as Pro

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The registration committee of the Manhattan Association of the A. A. U. is to investigate the standing of George Goulding, world's champion amateur walker. William H. Parry, who made the charges submitted documentary evidence that was deemed worthy of consideration.

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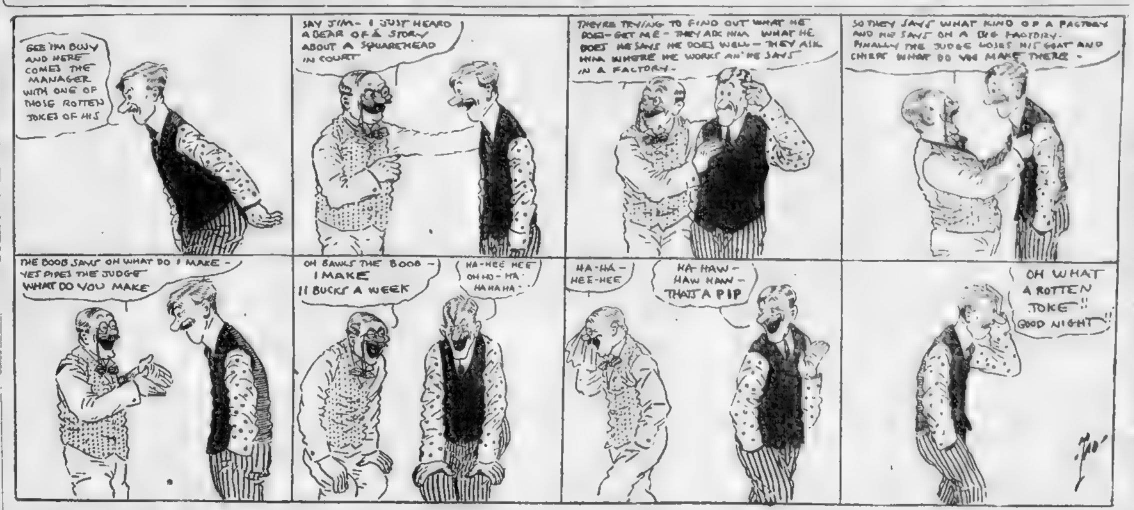
GEE I'M BUSY AND HERE COMES THE MANAGER WITH ONE OF THOSE ROTTEN JOKES OF HIS
SAY JIM - I JUST HEARD A BEAR OF A STORY ABOUT A SQUAREHEAD IN COURT
THEY'RE TRYING TO FIND OUT WHAT HE DOES - GET ME - THEY ASK HIM WHAT HE DOES HE SAYS HE DOES WELL - THEY ASK HIM WHERE HE WORKS AN' HE SAYS - IN A FACTORY -
SO THEY SAYS WHAT KIND OF A FACTORY AND HE SAYS ON A BIG FACTORY. FINALLY THE JUDGE LOSES HIS GOAT AND CHIRPS WHAT DO YOU MAKE THERE -
THE BOOB SAYS OH WHAT DO I MAKE - YES PIPES THE JUDGE WHAT DO YOU MAKE
OH BAWLS THE BOOB - I MAKE 11 BUCKS A WEEK
HA-HEE HEE OH HO - HA HA HA HA
HA-HA-HEE-HEE
HA HAW HAW HAW THAT'S A PIP
OH WHAT A ROTTEN JOKE!! GOOD NIGHT!!
Tad

BETTING 10 TO 7 EVERETT IS FLAYED

DETROIT, Dec. 2.—Detroit book makers, who are supposed to be utterly lacking in sentiment, have made Detroit Central High the favorite over Everett High in Saturday's football game here for the National interscholastic championship. The odds at which wagers are being placed in Detroit sporting centres are 10 to 7.

The officials for the game have tentatively been selected and if present plans carry three All-American players of recent years will be in charge of the contest. Joe Magidsohn of the University of Michigan will referee; Benbrook, a former Michigan captain, will umpire, and Walter Eckersall of the University of Chicago, is expected to be the third man on the field.

All three are accredited Western Conference officials and have participated in championship games this year. Although Magidsohn and Benbrook are former Yost men, they never have had any connection with Detroit Central. As a matter of fact more Central athletes go East to College than seek to make Yost's teams at Ann Arbor. Washington & Jefferson is particularly strong in Central grads.

Despite a two-day snow storm preparations are being made to handle the largest gathering of "rooters" that ever saw a football game in Detroit. All of the stands on Navin Field will be available for the crowd and some 12,000 seats will be "ring side."

The gridiron has been laid out with one goal intersecting home plate and the sideline running down the first base line. A stiff wind has been blowing with the snow, and the field has been swept clear.

Central is practicing daily on Navin Field and does not find the gridiron in bad shape despite the wintry weather. If the striped pasture should get soft practice will be removed to another part of the field for the rest of the week.

Saturday night the Detroit high schools will have their annual banquet at the Board of Commerce building, and the Everett party will be among the guests of honor.

Bowling League Matches Tonight

COLUMBUS CLUB—Two matches on the Columbus Club alleys.

GREATER BOSTON Y. M. C. A.—Boston at Salem; Beverly at Cambridge. B. & M. at Lynn.

TEL. & TEL.—Five matches on Loop alleys.

STATE PRESS—Three matches on New Boston alleys.

JORDAN & MARSH—Three matches on Chauncy alleys.

ADAMS SQUARE HOUSE—Four matches on Adams Square alleys.

MURRAY HOUSE—Two matches on Murray alleys.

FRUIT & PRODUCE—Four matches on Faneuil Hall alleys.

SUBURBAN ODD FELLOWS—Three matches on Summer Street alleys.

GRAY & DAVIS—Four matches on Loop alleys.

K. & L. OF HONOR—Four matches on Faneuil Hall alleys.

FLORISTS—Four matches on Arch Street alleys.

SOUTH TERMINAL — Summer Street alleys.

COMMISSION DRY GOODS—Four matches on Littlefield's alleys.

MIDDLESEX ODD FELLOWS—Middlesex at Winchester.

QUINCY ELKS—Two matches on Wardwell's alleys, Quincy.

CATHOLIC UNION—One match on the Catholic Union alleys.

Malden Boy Is Dartmouth's New Football Pilot

HANOVER, N. H., Dec. 2.—As forecasted by the AMERICAN, Bernard Otis Gerrish '17, a Malden boy, has been elected captain of next Fall's Dartmouth eleven.

Gerrish has been the varsity's left halfback the past two seasons and also played that position on the freshman team. He stands 5 feet 11 inches in height, weighs 175 pounds and is especially speedy.

Gerrish is also one of Dartmouth's leading baseball stars. He is a member of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity. The following men were awarded their "D":

R. H. Baxter '17, J. I. Carroll '15, J. N. Colby '16, T. L. Cotton '17, A. O. Duhamel '1[illegible], F. I. [illegible] '18, J. W. Emery, '1[illegible], H. Fishback, '16, B. O. Gerrish '17, A. B. Gile, '17, F. A. Hager '17, S. W. Holbrook '18, J. B. McAuliffe '16, H. H. McDonough '1[illegible], H. E. Merrill '17, C. W. Spears '17, K. L. Thielscher '17, P. W. Tyler, '17, R. G. Tyler, '17, and H. T. Worthington, '17.

B. C. Track Squad Starts Work in Gym

Coach McCabe of Boston College has the senior track team at work and among the star candidates in the gym daily are Joe Duffy, Joe Cusick, Tom Spillane, Harold Lang, James Quinn, Joe Hunt, Charley Tierney and Frank Hannon. Walter Whalen's withdrawal, the crack high jumper having removed to Exeter, leaves a big hole.

December [illegible], Junior interclass meet. December [illegible], Senior [illegible] meet. January 14, Somerville High at B. C. High. [illegible] January 29, Irish American games. February 4, B. L. S. at B. C. High. February 1[illegible], Newton High at Newton. February 18, Medford High at Medford. February 19, Huntington [illegible] scholastic. February 22, Lawrence [illegible]. February 23, Open. March 4, B. A. A. schoolboys' meet. March 11, Providence Tech at B. C. H.

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CANADA HOCKEY MONARCH DUE IN BOSTON

The exclusive announcement in the AMERICAN that Boston was a possibility in the Canadian Professional Hockey League caused a lot of talk in hockey circles. However the impression prevails that if a professional team is to be placed in the Arena the attendance at the amateur games would suffer.

Despite that possibility negotiations will be continued. Manager Livingstone of the Torontos is expected in Boston this week to confer with the men interested in the proposition.

In Canada the matter is looked upon most enthusiastically and Livingstone is coming to Boston with the right to complete final terms.

The Harvard hockey players will assemble Friday at the Varsity Club where Coach Winsor and Gardner, the 1913 captain, will outline plans for this season.

Harvard will start actual work next week and as soon as the ice at the Arena is ready the team will be on the surface for practice. Coach Winsor will probably wind out the varsity squad with the Harvard Club players.

Malden High has elected Clarence F[illegible] captain of its team. Horace M[illegible] is manager. The material is practically the same as last year's.

The preliminary training of the Newton squad consists of a long cross country run daily, followed by work in the gym, where the players practice shooting the puck.

In return for the services Down of Somerville High rendered last season the Arena forwards will assist in coaching the Somerville players this year. "Patsy" Sequin, the Arena forward, intends devoting considerable time to the high school boys.

Juarez Selections

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1.—John Walters, Rhodes, Andy H.
2.—Sweet Dale, Moller, Palma
3.—Swede Sam, Bertha V., Upright
4.—Furlong, Busy Edith, Cordova.
5.—Robert Mantell, Charity Ward, Wild Bone.
6.—Gerda, Edith W., Butter Ball

GALLOPS—N. Y. TELEGRAPH.

1.—Rhodes, Cossack, Argent.
2.—Moller, Sweet Dale, Bertha Weaver.
3.—Bertha V., Smiling Mag, Mollie Cad.
4.—Busy Edith, Kenneth, Oakland.
5.—Charity Ward, Wild Bear, Rag.
6.—Colonel McDougall, Baby Lynch, Henry Walbank.

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Juneau Resigns as Wisconsin Coach

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 2.—The resignation of Bill Juneau [illegible] of the University of Wisconsin football and baseball teams was accepted today by the university board of regents.

The future of athletics at the university is now in the hands of the regents who are determined to make a [illegible] investigation.

There has been general [illegible]

Harvard 'Freshies' After Class Title

The Junior and Freshman elevens of Harvard [illegible] tomorrow afternoon to determine the class championship for the season. Yesterday the [illegible] Sophomores [illegible] the Freshmen won [illegible] over the Seniors [illegible]

Green Relay Team Should Be Winner

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Anita Stewart's Talks to Girls

No. 3—"How to Dress Your Part"

By Anita Stewart

Whose Wonderful Work in "The Goddess" and "The Million Dollar Bid" Was the Sensation of the Moving Picture World

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ONE of the most important things in the world to a girl is clothes. Men say that we spend too much time and thought on them, and they laugh at us because we judge a woman by the way she dresses.

That's where men make a mistake. A woman gets her politics from her husband and her religion from her minister, but her clothes and the way she wears them are her own, and they show just how much intelligence, how much judgment and how much thrift she has. Also a woman changes her mood when she changes her clothes.

For the time being she's the kind of woman that her dress calls for, and she does and says things when she's got on a sloppy wrapper that she wouldn't dream of doing or saying when she had on a pink chiffon dinner gown.

If I were a husband I'd never tell my wife unpleasant things, things that call for a lecture, unless she had on her best dress, that made her feel too ladylike and refined to get into a real quarrel. However, it's a good thing for us women that men are too dull to understand the philosophy of clothes. They work us to [illegible].

AN ART UNDERSTOOD WELL BY THE STAGE.

The stage understands the importance of clothes and how we can lay emphasis on any quality by dressing it, so to speak. It would take a volume, for instance, to describe to an audience the artless innocence of a young girl which is being conveyed by her being dressed in a simple white muslin with a blue sash and a flower-wreathed hat.

The adventuress simply shrieks wickedness by her red-spangled decollete gown, and we know the victim by her black dress and the poor relation by her gray alpaca with turned over collars and cuffs.

Nobody would thrill over a cowboy who didn't have on chaps and a broad-brimmed sombrero, nor could you get any college spirit in a play unless all of the men had on "rah-rah" clothes.

It is because we are judged by the clothes we wear that we girls should give the subject more intelligent thought than we do.

Too many women just blindly follow the fashion without any thought as to whether it suits them or not. That gives us the figures of fun we see all about us—old women with gray [illegible] dressed up [illegible] their granddaughters, fat women in [illegible] for the sylphlike, [illegible] exhibited [illegible] displays.

[illegible] that girls are [illegible] they wear. If a girl [illegible] modest manner she can go from one end of the country to the other and be treated with perfect respect and deference. But if she togs herself out in [illegible] costume [illegible] flamboyant and [illegible] the fashion—she [illegible] street corner masher. And you can hardly blame him.

Anita Stewart, in an effective street costume, showing her belief in simplicity of dress.

I was in a police court once when such a man was brought in for having spoken to a girl who, it turned out, was eminently proper. "Your Honor," said the man, by way of excusing himself, "if she is a good girl what did she get herself up in that rig for?"

And I have thought the same thing about many another girl.

BUSINESS GIRLS SHOULD DRESS APPROPRIATELY

I would especially urge on business girls the wisdom of dressing appropriately. If two girls should go to an office applying for a job, and one of them had on a neatly tailored suit with a substantial shirtwaist, high in the neck and long in the sleeves, and with a trim little hat and sensible shoes, while the other girl wore a befurbelowed and lace-trimmed silk, with high heeled shoes and a picture hat, we know well enough which girl would get the job.

Don't just go to the motion pictures for fun. Get some of the lessons that we hand out there, and one of the most important of them is how to dress your part.

When we portray a poor girl we put her in modest clothes. When we want to get it over that a business girl is little Miss Competence we don't dress her up as if she were going to a ball. We put her in working clothes.

And when we want to depict a woman who is driving her husband to drink we show her in a frowsy wrapper, with her hair up in curl papers. And the principle of the thing holds as good in real life as it does in reel life.

Of course you love pretty clothes. So do I. But I try to dress my part off the stage as well as on it, and to be simply and inconspicuously attired, especially on the street. And I have never had a single piece of jewelry in all my life, not even a pin. The first piece of jewelry I am going to have is my engagement ring. What do you think of that, girls?

A Paying Investment

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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WHEN a business man hears of a safe investment which will yield him 7 per cent he does not hesitate long about putting his money into it.

Even a 3 per cent profit he does not scorn.

I can suggest an investment which will yield always 3 per cent, and usually 5 if you will go into it thoroughly. The stock is known as politeness. Others call it considerateness. Suppose you invest in it for one week to begin with. If at the end of that time you have received no dividend you may tell me I have advertised a worthless stock.

Begin tomorrow morning at home. Think of some agreeable thing to say and do, before you leave the house. Compliment your wife on her appearance, or her [illegible] and praise the cook. Say a word to cheer the children or to make them start the day with a laugh. It will be remarkable if you do not receive your first dividend immediately.

Then continue your investment at the office. Pay a little notice to the elevator man. Remember his work is not the most inspiring in the world, and he must often think life is monotonous. Try to give him an idea that he is a man among men, and not a mere machine. Then try a smiling "good morning" in place of a surly growl on your office boy. If he has done his work well tell him so, and thank him.

Keep up this attitude all day, whoever you come in contact with practice upon. All may not appreciate your effort, but never mind—you do not expect to get all your returns at once.

But you are pretty sure to find the day seeming less wearisome than many which have preceded it, and you are quite certain to feel the home a much happier place than usual when you enter it that evening.

If you do, that should be counted as fully 10 per cent interest on your investment. Anything which adds one extra hour of cheer to the home life is of vital importance in this world. Anything which casts unhappiness or gloom upon your home is a calamity too great to be lightly brought about.

[illegible] with your investment [illegible] pleasure and happiness will be offered you as dividends. In the long run the returns will assume the form of material profits. Your employes will like to remain with you and will take a deeper interest in aiding you. Not all, but enough to save you the necessity of continual changes.

Your business associates will like you, and an endless chain of good feeling and good fellowship will be established. People will derive a sense of pleasure and benefit from merely meeting you in business. They will not reason it out, but they will enjoy an interview with you. Many of the worries and vexations which surround your life now will disappear.

And when they do make themselves apparent you will find it much easier to dismiss them. Begin your new investment right away.

Wireless Emphasis

She sailed into the telegraph office and rapped on the counter. As the clerk came forward to meet her he remembered that she had been there about ten minutes before. He wondered what she wanted this time.

"Oh," she said, "let me have that telegram I wrote just now; I forgot something important. I wanted to underscore 'perfectly lovely' in acknowledging the receipt of that bracelet. Will it cost anything extra?"

"No, ma'am," said the clerk, as he handed her the message.

The young lady drew two heavy lines beneath the words and said:

"It's awfully good of you to let me do that! It will please Arthur ever so much."

Slight Reduction Desired

Simpkins was fond of telling stories in which the joke is on the doctor. He tells this one:

One patient fancied there was something the matter with his heart. His physician made a cursory examination, which disclosed a large swelling in the patient's cardiac region.

"There certainly appears an extraordinary swelling right here," said the doctor, tapping with his finger on the patient's side. "We must reduce this at once."

Whereupon a faint smile appeared on the patient's worried countenance.

"Oh! doctor," he exclaimed, "that swelling is my pocketbook. Please don't reduce it too much!"

Discolored or Spotty Skin Easily Peeled Off

The discoloring or roughening to which many women are subject at this season may readily be gotten rid of. Mercolized wax, spread lightly over the face before retiring and removed in the morning with soap and water, completely peels off the discolored skin. Get an ounce of the wax at any drug store [illegible] blotches, [illegible] off each day, so the process itself doesn't even temporarily mar the complexion, and one soon has a [illegible] girlish face.

[illegible] weather, worry or [illegible] solution of [illegible] 1 oz., dissolved in ½ pint witch hazel. Bathing the face in this produces a truly marvelous transformation.—Advertisement.

The Wonderful Adventures of the Sunshine Family in the Land of Make-Believe

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By GEORGE WASHINGTON SUNSHINE.

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AND now, the question is: HOW shall I travel to Boston, to be ready, three mornings hence, to go out to all the homes where Papa takes in the Sunday [illegible]

Patience, my dear wife, you may remember, rode to town in one of the coaches of the Pumpkin Line. Martha, always seeking novelty, chose to ride to Boston with Mother Goose, on the back of one of Dame Goose's great ganders.

Peter, naturally enough, went to Massachusetts in his celebrated Whizz auto, while Baby Bob was taken to town by Snow White and Rose Red, in his pony cart.

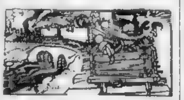
How, then, is "Papa" Sunshine to make the journey?

I gave considerable thought to this matter, last night, and early this morning I concluded to step around to the freight yards and see if, after all, there was not the possibility of going up by rail.

I too desired to do "something different."

But I am not going by railroad, not from the Land of Make Believe, not in one thousand years!

The railroad here is called the [illegible] It offers



absolutely no passenger service, of any kind whatever, being maintained for the SOLE purpose of sending out dolls, and candy, and Noah's Arks, and drums, and toy soldiers, and games, and make-believe animals.

Still, I took it for granted that arrangements might be made, and down I went to the railroad yard.

To be exact, I STARTED for the yards. I did not quite get there.

Chief of Police Stout stopped me, that same "Johnny" Stout who, years and years ago, and long before that pulled poor Pussy from the well Little Johnny Green had thrown her into.

"Good morning, Chief," I said.

"Good morning, George," said the Chief (we're as thick as that, my dears), "I suppose you'll be going away, now, in a day or two?"

I like to be sort of mysterious with people who ask questions—though, of course, we should all be frank with the good policemen, our protectors—so I said:

"Why, maybe; maybe so, Chief."

Do you know I could SEE the Chief turn pale; actually turn WHITE.

"Why," he said, "I HOPE nothing is going to interfere with your plan to leave on Saturday morning, George."

"Indeed!" I said. "Come now, Johnny, that isn't the least bit flat-

tering; do you really MEAN that you want to get rid of me?"

He stammered and blushed. I smelled a rat.

"No," he said. "I think I can say, without exaggeration and in all sincerity, that there isn't a person in Mother Goose, a fairy in all this Land of Make Believe, a flower, a bird or an animal in all these woodlands, who WANTS you to go away. And YET——"

"'And yet,'" I repeated, "what?"

"Well," said the Chief, "I don't mind saying that it's Santa Claus."

"What exactly DO you mean, Johnny, old friend?" I asked. "Does Santa Claus want me to leave?"

"Not only WANTS you to leave," said Chief of Police John Stout, "but practically has asked Old King Cole to sign an order for your expulsion from the Land of Make Believe if you are still here at 9 o'clock on Sunday morning!"

My dears, you could have knocked me down with a feather!

"Well, if THAT doesn't beat all," said I. "If anybody else had told it to me, I wouldn't believe it. Santa Claus! Everybody's friend! And he wants ME run out of town!"

"Promise me, Sunshine," said my friend the Chief, "that you will not say I told you. My instructions were that we must not be rude to you, but on the contrary must treat you with politeness."

"Rest easy, Chief," said I. "I'll not make any talk about it, but do, please, tell me the Why of it. I like to know the Why of things."

"Santa is afraid you'll see what goes out from the great storage warehouses here, and read the addresses on the boxes, and know just Who is getting What."

"But I was here last year," I said, "at least until the late Fall, and I read many of the addresses."

"Yes," said Chief Stout, "but you did not then go out to the Land of People, BEFORE Christmas, and make friends with all the Boys adn Girls, and have them ask you what they are going to get!"

"Quite true," I acknowledged, "but I hope Santa Claus doesn't think I would blab. I'M no blabber. I can keep a secret. I don't tell all I know, or half."

"Well," said the Chief, "that's what Old King Cole said!"

"And what did Santa say to THAT?" I wanted to know.

"Santa said: 'I know George Washington Sunshine, Your Majesty, and I respect and admire him. On the other hand, I have to protect my own business of keeping things quiet until Christmas morning, so that Boys and Girls will be surprised. WHAT fun would there be in this Christmas work, that I have been doing now for hundreds and hundreds of years if it was not for the joy of Christmas-morning surprises.

"'I don't believe George Washington Sunshine would TELL, knowingly or intentionally, but I don't believe in tempting ANY man beyond his strength. Sunshine loves Boys and Girls ALMOST as much as I do, and I tell you, King, that when a Boy or a Girl sits on your lap, or makes you sit on their lap, and asks you: 'Come, now, hear to heart, WHAT did you see in Santa Claus's boxes for ME?' I tell YOU, King, that no man could refuse to tell, not even George Washington Sunshine.'"

"That is what Santa Claus said," concluded Chief Stout.

"Well," I said, "maybe he is right, I don't know as I COULD refuse, to tell a NICE Boy or Girl."

"Then," said Chief Stout, "it is all for the best that you leave on Saturday. That will be the fourth of December, and on the Monday morning following the Christmas presents will be going out of here by the carload. The theory of Santa Claus and Old King Cole is that if you get away before the shipments become heavy you will not know Who is getting What and so, no matter how sorely the children press you, you will never be tempted to tell."

"I understand it all," I said to Johnny, "and I shall be ready to go on Saturday. I am not at all sure but that I am glad not to know Who is getting What."

"And HOW will you make the journey to Boston," Chief Stout wanted to know.

"That," I confessed, "is the Question of the Day, I do not know!"

And I DO not know, but take my word for it, children, I am thinking. It is QUITE a problem.

To be continued tomorrow.

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When It Began

"Now," said the counsel for the defendant, "you say you saw the beginning of this quarrel between Mrs. Blank and her husband. Can you fix the time?"

"Yes," replied the witness, without a moment's hesitation. "It was exactly six years ago this Christmas."

"What do you mean?" gasped the judge. "Six years ago?"

"Yes, your lordship," remarked the witness. "They were married on Christmas eve, 1909. I remember it well. You see, I happened to be Blank's best man."

Work, Not Luck, Is Key to Success

Grand Opera Soprano Declares Real Ability Always Wins

Miss May Scheider, coloratura soprano of the Boston Opera Company, who declares that luck is a negligible quality when it comes to getting on in the world. Sooner or later, she says, opportunity comes to everybody who is ready to make the most of it.

MISS MAY SCHEIDER, the coloratura soprano of the Boston Opera Company, who makes her concert debut at Tremont Temple tonight, declares that luck is a negligible quality when it comes to getting on in the world.

"You hear people say that such a person was very lucky, and that for every great figure in art there are scores equally great who just didn't happen to have the luck to be around when the lightning struck.

"I think that is an exceedingly stupid way to reason and I certainly do not agree with it. The facts are that the great people in any walk of life are comparatively few. Lots of mediocrities become fairly successful merely because there are not enough really great folk to fill all the places.

"You can't keep talent or ability down. Lots of people have told me about one singer or another who was better than a celebrated artist. I remember one contralto who, according to her friends, had the finest voice in the world, only she had no opportunity. Now what were the facts. That woman did have as good a contralto voice as anybody in opera. But she was so fat that she made people laugh when she waddled on the stage. She couldn't sing Delilah, or Carmen, or Mignon, or any of the great roles which require pretty and graceful women, because she looked so funny. If she had had the moral courage to go without food for a year or two, she probably could have reduced until her voice would be of some use to her.

"I think there is always an explanation when somebody doesn't go to the top. If it isn't the voice, it's the face, the figure, the disposition, the tact or the courage. Sooner or later opportunity comes to everybody. If I didn't believe that I would die."

Miss Scheider is an example of her own doctrine. She had been singing in German opera houses and was fast winning fame as a coloratura soprano when the war broke out and made engagements extremely difficult for opera singers. She very cheerfully returned to America, which she had left to study abroad some years ago, and was prepared to begin at the bottom over here. Fortunately such a beginning was not necessary, for Max Rabinoff, director of the Boston Opera, had heard her sing at Mannheim and snatched her up for his company.

What Happened to Jane

She Gets a Snub from Old Friends, Thanks to Augustus

By Virginia Terhune Van de Water

CHAPTER XXX.

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THE train by which Augustus Reeves and his bride returned to Milton left New York between 5 and 6 o'clock.

As Jane saw her husband return the greetings of several commuters she thought she understood why he had insisted that she travel back home in her new suit and hat. Reeves wanted men who were his neighbors to note how well he was dressing his wife.

Jane herself felt as if weeks had passed since she left the town of her birth. Was it possible that less than ten days ago she had been a girl in her father's home? Well, never mind—she was now on her way back to dear old Milton, to live again among her friends.

She glanced eagerly around the car and smiled as her eyes fell in the face of a girl who lived not far from the Hardys. Ruth Crosby smiled in return, then leaving her seat, crossed the aisle to speak to her friend.

"How do you do, Mr. Reeves!" she said lightly. "Hello, Jane! I'm glad to see you coming back home. You stole such a march on us all that we didn't even know you were married before you were off on your wedding trip. I suppose you've had a lovely time?"

The speaker's interest was centred in the bride and she bestowed scarcely more than a glance upon Augustus. She had always thought of him as "Old Reeves"—but she had always liked Jane. She noted the new garments that the young wife wore, and how stylish and "cityfied" she looked.

"Thank you," Jane said shyly. "We were in New York—and of course it's pretty lively there at this time of year. But I'm glad to be getting back to Milton."

"That's good. I'm coming to see you soon—and so are all the other girls, I guess."

Before Jane could reply her husband spoke. "Jane will be very busy for a good while," he remarked pompously. "She has a great deal to attend to in her new home—for my house is large. She'll have little leisure for company for some time."

THE GIRLS GET A FALSE IMPRESSION OF JANE

Ruth flushed hotly and looked at Jane. She could not know that the young wife's heart cried out in protest, nor how she longed to beg her friend to come to see her often, to take pity on her loneliness, or could she suspect that Jane resented her husband's rude speech and that embarrassment, chagrin and shame held her dumb.

"Very well," Ruth Crosby rejoined. "I will remember, Jane, and not intrude. Good-bye."

"Good-bye!" Jane murmured as the girl nodded stiffly and went back to her seat.

"She's getting stuck-up already," Ruth announced later to her chums. "Just because she's married to old Reeves and his money she thinks she can snub us girls. Well I, for one, mean to let her alone—and I advise the rest of you to do the same. I guess we're not rich. If we do have to work in one way or another, we don't sell ourselves for money."

Jane had little to say for some minutes after Ruth had left her. Then she spoke tentatively.

"Augustus," she ventured, "I'm sorry you said just what you did to Ruth. She's an old friend—and I'm afraid her feelings were hurt by your manner."

"I can't help it if they were," Augustus returned. "She may as well understand that a married woman can't go gallivanting around the country and having folks running in to see her the way she did before she was married. You're my wife now, and your place is in my home and attending to your duties there."

"But I want to keep my friends, too," she argued, "as mother has done."

"Your mother is a very easy-going person," Augustus declared. "She's a good woman, but she's easier than I want my wife to be. She has let you do just about as you pleased instead of bringing you up strict. While you're a fine girl," with a smile that was meant to be indulgent, "you've been a little spoiled. You're not to blame—for you've had your own way all your life. And your father's too easy-going, too."

SHE DEFENDS HER PARENTS VIGOROUSLY

"They're the best people in the world!" the girl exclaimed, a catch in her breath. She did not want to quarrel here on the train, but she could not let the censure of her dear ones pass unchallenged. "If I am not all I ought to be—and I know I am not—it's not their fault."

"There, there—don't worry about that now!" Augustus soothed. He glanced about uneasily. It would be a dreadful thing if it was suspected that he and his wife were having an altercation already. If Jane should cry what would people think? "You needn't worry but you're all right," he continued. "I picked you out of all the girls in Milton, didn't I? And even if you've got a great deal to learn, my house is the place that you'll learn it well. But since you have so much to do, I don't take to the idea of your having young folks coming in all the time. And I wanted Ruth Crosby to understand that."

The train was slowing up at the Milton station, and Augustus began to gather up bags and umbrellas.

"Well, here we are!" he announced. "I wrote Mary to have Dan meet us with the depot wagon. We can get both suitcases into that without any trouble."

"Might we," Jane hesitated, "might we—that is—would it be convenient for you to have the man stop just for a minute on the way up and let me see how father and mother are?"

"It's too late," her husband replied. "We must get home, Jane. You may as well get used to my house being your house now and the place where you belong. There will be plenty of time tomorrow or next day for you to see your folks. They're all right. If they hadn't been you'd have heard of it before this."

(To Be Continued.)

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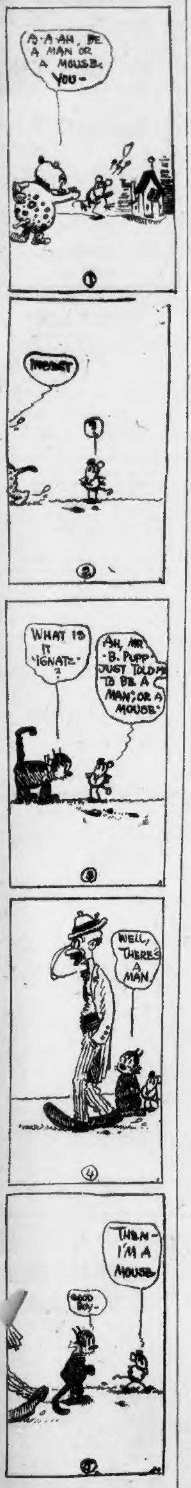
A-A-AH, BE A MAN OR A MOUSE, YOU-
①
②
WHAT IS IT "IGNATZ"?
AH, MR. "B. PUPP" JUST TOLD ME TO BE A "MAN" OR A "MOUSE"
③
WELL, THERE'S A MAN
④
GOOD BOY-
THEN- I'M A MOUSE
⑤

KABIBBLE KABARET,

DEAR MR. KABIBBLE,
AFTER THE QUARREL IS STARTED I PUT UP A WONDERFUL FIGHT— BUT HAS MY HUSBAND A RIGHT TO START IT?

NO—NOT IF YOU ARE THAT GOOD

THE DINGBAT FAMILY ◆◆◆

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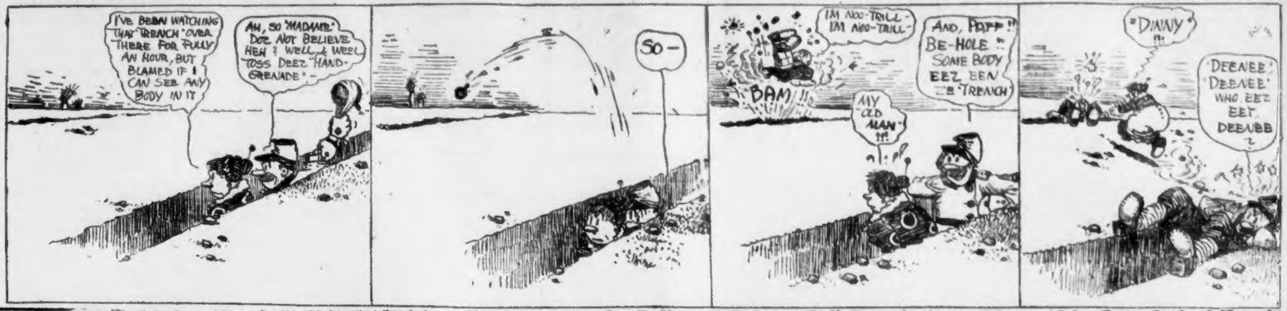
◆◆◆ **The Trench Wasn't Quite Vacant, Although Very Nearly So**


I'VE BEEN WATCHING THAT "TRENCH" OVER THERE FOR FULLY AN HOUR, BUT BLAMED IF I CAN SEE ANY BODY IN IT
AH, SO "MADAME" DOE NOT BELIEVE HEH? WELL, I WEEL TOSS DEEZ "HAND-GRENADE"-
SO-
I'M NOO-TRILL- I'M NOO-TRILL-
BAM!!
AND, POPP!! BE-HOLE!! SOME BODY EEZ BEN ZE "TRENCH"
MY OLD MAN!!!
"DINNY"!!
"DEENEE" "DEENEE" WHO EEZ EET DEEUBB?

ABIE THE AGENT ◆◆◆

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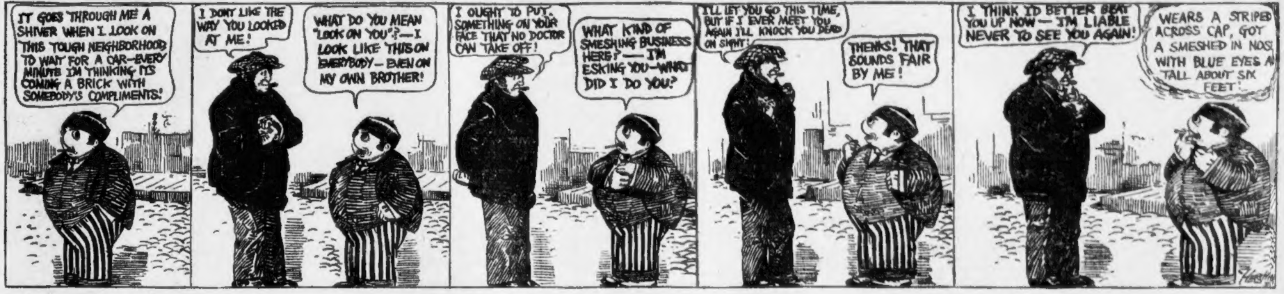
◆◆◆ **Anyway, the Police Will Get a Full Description—When Abie Gets Out of Hospit**


IT GOES THROUGH ME A SHIVER WHEN I LOOK ON THIS TOUGH NEIGHBORHOOD TO WAIT FOR A CAR—EVERY MINUTE I'M THINKING IT'S COMING A BRICK WITH SOMEBODY'S COMPLIMENTS!
I DON'T LIKE THE WAY YOU LOOKED AT ME!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN "LOOK ON YOU"?—I LOOK LIKE THIS ON EVERYBODY—EVEN ON MY OWN BROTHER!
I OUGHT TO PUT SOMETHING ON YOUR FACE THAT NO DOCTOR CAN TAKE OFF!
WHAT KIND OF SMESHING BUSINESS HERE?—I'M ESKING YOU—WHAT DID I DO YOU?
I'LL LET YOU GO THIS TIME, BUT IF I EVER MEET YOU AGAIN I'LL KNOCK YOU DEAD ON SIGHT!
THENKS! THAT SOUNDS FAIR BY ME!
I THINK I'D BETTER BEAT YOU UP NOW—I'M LIABLE NEVER TO SEE YOU AGAIN!
WEARS A STRIPED ACROSS CAP, GOT A SMESHED IN NOS WITH BLUE EYES A TALL ABOUT SIX FEET!
Hershfield

JERRY ON THE JOB ◆◆◆

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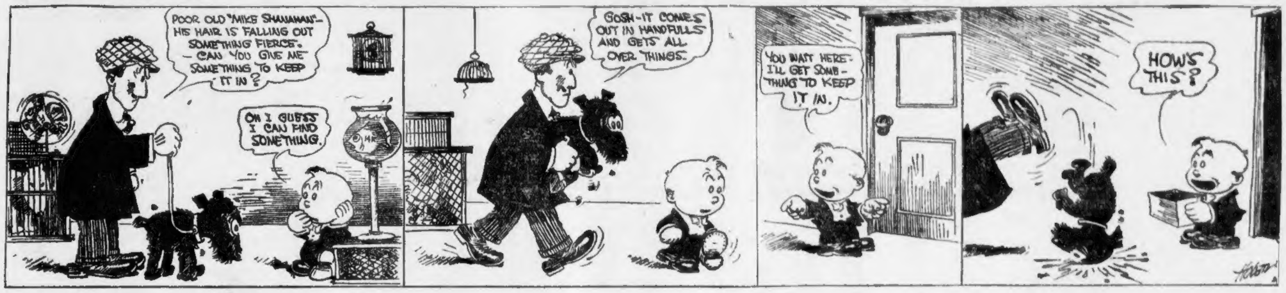
◆◆◆ **If This Wouldn't Keep It In, It Would Have to Fall Ot**


POOR OLD "MIKE SHANAHAN"—HIS HAIR IS FALLING OUT SOMETHING FIERCE. —CAN YOU GIVE ME SOMETHING TO KEEP IT IN?
OH I GUESS I CAN FIND SOMETHING.
GOSH-IT COMES OUT IN HANDFULLS AND GETS ALL OVER THINGS.
YOU WAIT HERE. I'LL GET SOME-THING TO KEEP IT IN.
HOW'S THIS?
Hoban

POLLY AND HER PALS ◆◆◆

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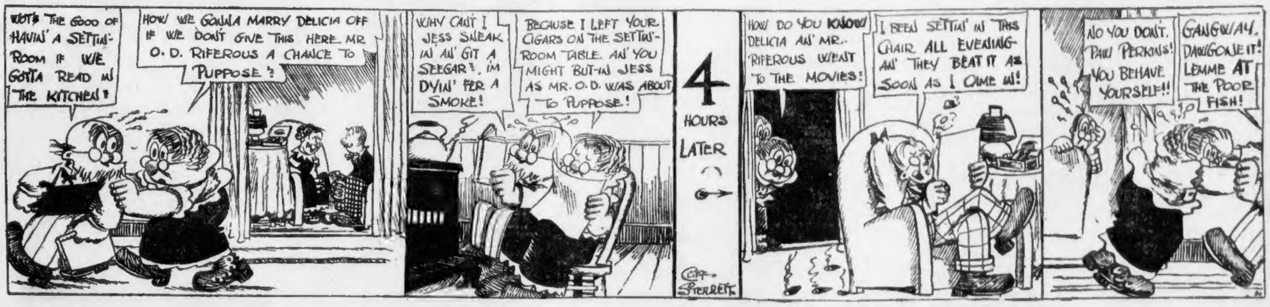
◆◆◆ **And There Pa Sat with His Feet in the Ove**


WOT'S THE GOOD OF HAVIN' A SETTIN'-ROOM IF WE GOTTA READ IN THE KITCHEN?
HOW WE GONNA MARRY DELICIA OFF IF WE DON'T GIVE THIS HERE MR O. D. RIFEROUS A CHANCE TO "PUPPOSE"?
WHY CAN'T I JESS SNEAK IN AN' GIT A SEEGAR? I'M DYIN' FER A SMOKE!
BECAUSE I LEFT YOUR CIGARS ON THE SETTIN'-ROOM TABLE AN' YOU MIGHT BUT-IN JESS AS MR. O. D. WAS ABOUT TO PUPPOSE!
4 HOURS LATER
CLIFF STERRETT
HOW DO YOU KNOW DELICIA AN' MR. RIFEROUS WENT TO THE MOVIES!
I BEEN SETTIN' IN THIS CHAIR ALL EVENING AN' THEY BEAT IT AS SOON AS I CAME IN!
NO YOU DON'T, PAW PERKINS! YOU BEHAVE YOURSELF!!
GANGWAY, DAWGONE IT! LEMME AT THE POOR FISH!

US BOYS ◆◆◆ ◆◆◆ ◆◆◆

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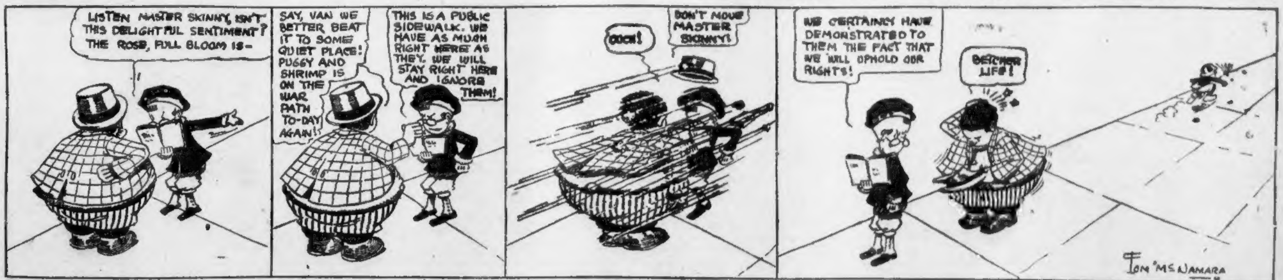
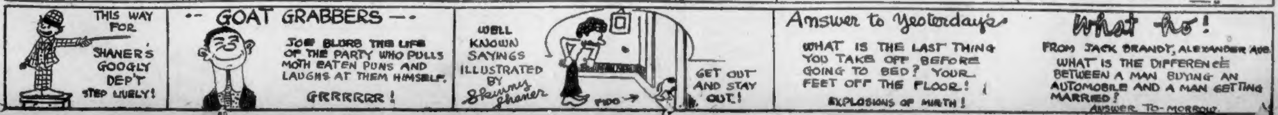
◆◆◆ ◆◆◆ ◆◆◆ **The Demonstration Was Perfect, If a Little Painful, for Skinny**


LISTEN MASTER SKINNY, ISN'T THIS DELIGHTFUL SENTIMENT? THE ROSE, FULL BLOOM IS-
SAY, VAN WE BETTER BEAT IT TO SOME QUIET PLACE! PUGGY AND SHRIMP IS ON THE WAR PATH TO-DAY AGAIN!
THIS IS A PUBLIC SIDEWALK. WE HAVE AS MUCH RIGHT HERE AS THEY. WE WILL STAY RIGHT HERE AND IGNORE THEM!
OUCH!
DON'T MOVE MASTER SKINNY!
WE CERTAINLY HAVE DEMONSTRATED TO THEM THE FACT THAT WE WILL UPHOLD OUR RIGHTS!
BETCHER LIFE!
TOM McNAMARA


THIS WAY FOR SHANER'S GOOGLY DEP'T STEP LIVELY!
-- GOAT GRABBERS --
JOE BLORB THE LIFE OF THE PARTY WHO PULLS MOTH EATEN PUNS AND LAUGHS AT THEM HIMSELF.
GRRRRRR!
WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY Skinny Shaner
FIDO →
GET OUT AND STAY OUT!
Answer to Yesterday's
WHAT IS THE LAST THING YOU TAKE OFF BEFORE GOING TO BED? YOUR FEET OFF THE FLOOR!
EXPLOSIONS OF MIRTH!
What ho!
FROM JACK BRANDT, ALEXANDER AVE.
WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A MAN BUYING AN AUTOMOBILE AND A MAN GETTING MARRIED?
ANSWER TO-MORROW

TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS

By W. H. ROSS,
Financial Editor

Stocks opened with a downward trend in New York, although a number of issues were unchanged. The majority of others declined a little. The recessional tendency continued and covered all classes with the war industrials the weakest. The statement of President Frank A. Vanderlip of the National City Bank to the effect that munition shipments may be curtailed before the European conflicts ends because powers at war might be unable to pay, did not help these issues any. "We know nothing," he said, "of when the war will end and nothing of how long this special demand will continue. We know that possibly before it ends foreign purchase in this market will have to be curtailed because the means of payment may be lacking."

"One sign of American prosperity is the increase in importations of precious stones. Gems shipped from abroad to New York last month are valued at $5,056,752, or about five times the valuation of those imported in November a year ago. A better sign, however, is the decrease in commercial failures in November this year. They were nearly 20 per cent. less than for that 1914 month.

DECLINES WERE GENERAL.

At the end of half an hour the list was still ranging below Wednesday's closing quotations, but there had been some improvement from the lowest morning level. Stocks were about at their lowest at 10:15 and losses at that time included Allis-Chalmers ⅝, American Can ¼, American Smelting ⅛, U. S. Steel ⅝, Lackawanna Steel ⅞, Colorado Fuel ¼, Crucible ⅝, Car & Foundry 2, American Loco. 1, Baldwin 1⅝, Distillers ½, General Electric ⅝, Westinghouse ½, General Motors 5, Studebaker 2⅝, Maxwell ⅝, Goodrich ⅝, U. S. Rubber ¼, Mexican Petroleum ⅝, Texas Oil 1, Beet Sugar ½, Inspiration ¼, Utah ¼, Chino ¼, Anaconda ⅝, Canadian Pacific ¼, Missouri Pacific ⅛, New Haven 1⅛, Northern Pacific ¼, Pennsylvania ¼, Southern Pacific ½, Union Pacific ¼, Erie ¼ and Rock Island ⅛.

Among gains were St. Paul ⅛, Reading ⅝ and New York Central ⅛.

When trading began in Cuban Sugar it advanced. Near the end of the first hour it showed six points gain.

The New York market was quite active on the decline and the selling was for both long and short accounts. There was little demand at first, and bears were as aggressive as in the last hour yesterday. But it was remarked that railroads and coppers did not yield easily to pressure. New Haven soon recovered all but a trifle of its loss.

BOSTON MARKET WEAK.

The Boston market was both weak and active, but declines here averaged small. Among early declines were Alaska Gold ⅛, Butte & Superior ½, American Zinc ¼, Copper Range ⅝, Mass. Mining ¼, Tamarack ⅝, Trinity ½ and New Haven ⅝.

U. S. Smelting was up ¼ and Atlantic Gulf common ⅝.

The copper metal market is said to be quiet but steady, while there is less demand for spelter and it has a weaker tone. The situation as to lead is about the same as in regard to copper. Since January first foreign shipments of copper from Atlantic ports totalled 230,246 tons. The Lake district output for November is giving as 25,500,000 pounds. Osceola is said to have broken records and to have shipped 101,000 tons of rock.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following are the early prices for leading Boston stocks:

	Yesterday's Close.	High.	Low.	10:15.
Alaska Gold	24⅝	24⅝	24⅛	24¼
Atl. Gulf	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	32¼
Atl. Gulf pf.	46½	46½	46½	46½
Am. Zinc	68⅝	68⅝	68⅝	68⅛
Butte & Superior	72	71⅝	71⅛	71½
Copper Range	57¼	57¼	56⅝	56⅝
East Butte	15⅝	15⅝	15⅜	15⅝
Mass. Mining	12	11⅝	11⅞	11⅝
New Idria	11	11	11	11
N. Y., N. H. & H.	74⅝	74⅞	74½	74½
Osceola	85	85	85	85
Tamarack	49⅝	49	49	49
Trinity	10½	10	10	10
U. S. Smelting	47¼	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following are the early prices for leading New York stocks:

	Yesterday's close.	High.	Low.	10:15
Allis-Chalmers	32⅝	32½	31⅞	32
Am. Can	61	61	60⅞	60⅞
Am. Car & Fdy	80½	80½	78⅞	78⅞
Am. Locomotive	70	69½	68⅞	69
Am. Sm. & R.	98¼	98¼	98⅛	98⅛
Am. Beet Sugar	70½	70½	70	70
Anaconda Cop	87⅝	87	86⅞	87
Atch. T. & S. F.	106½	106½	106½	106½
Baldwin Loco.	113¼	113	111	111⅛
Balt. & Ohio	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
Canadian Pac	183¼	183	183	183
Ches. & Ohio	63	63	63	63
Chino	53⅝	53⅝	53⅜	53⅜
Col. Fuel	49½	49½	49¼	49¼
Crucible Steel	73⅛	73½	73	73
Dis. Securities	46½	46¼	46	46
Erie	43⅞	43⅛	43	43⅛
Gen. Electric	174¼	174⅛	174	174
Gen. Motors	470	465	465	465
Goodrich	70½	71	70⅛	70⅛
Inspiration	45	44⅞	44⅛	44⅛
Lack. Steel	82⅞	82	81½	81¼
Lehigh Valley	81	81	80⅝	81
Max. Motor	73	72¾	72⅛	72¾
Mex. Petrol	92¼	92⅛	91½	91½
Missouri Pac.	6⅛	6⅛	6	6
N. Y. C. & Hud.	101⅝	102¼	101⅝	101⅝
N. Y., N. H. & H.	75⅛	74	74	74
Northern Ore	49⅛	48⅞	48½	48⅝
Northern Pacific	116⅛	116	116	116
Pennsylvania	59½	59⅜	59¼	59¼
Reading	80½	80½	80⅛	80⅛
Rep. I. & Steel	50⅞	50½	50½	50½
Rock Island	19⅝	19⅜	19⅜	19⅛
Southern Pacific	101	100⅛	100½	100½
St. Paul	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
Studebaker	152½	152½	150½	150½
Texas Oil	208	208	207	207
Union Pacific	138¼	138¾	138	138
U. S. Steel	86½	86⅛	85⅝	85⅛
Utah Copper	78½	78½	78⅛	78⅛
U. S. Rubber	55¼	55	54⅞	55
Westinghouse	68½	68½	68	68

Exposition Shows a Record Profit

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—The Panama-Pacific International Exposition will close its gates Saturday night with a net balance of $2,281,169.89, figuring the municipal auditorium, the Exposition's gift to the city, at its cost price of $1,086,000. This amount is $1,399,230.15 in excess of the balance of the St. Louis exposition and $947,184.85 in excess of the net balance of the Chicago exposition.

Horse Export Base Wanted in Quincy

Plans to secure for Quincy the opportunities as a port of shipment for horses for the European war, which Watertown has declined, have been started by Commodore Frank F. Crane, City Commissioner of Docks and Waterfront.

PROSPERITY IS SEEN IN BANK REPORTS

By International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Increasing prosperity throughout the United States is reported in an announcement made today by the Federal Reserve Board of statements of business conditions received at Washington from the Federal reserve agents in the twelve banking districts of the country.

That domestic demand for iron and steel and other commodities is assuming proportions which promise to vie with the war order demands from abroad is the report of the agents.

Throughout the Northern States factories are running at capacity, building has been resumed on a large scale, general wholesaling and merchandiseing are active and prosperity due to large crops is here.

The lumber industry, which for the past three years has been greatly depressed, is picking up, says the board, and a great demand for west coast lumber is expected at the conclusion of the European war. Coal, oil, lead, zinc and allied industries show phenomenal activity, and railroad traffic is heavy, according to the statements.

Money rates are low and it is stated the farmers have moved their crops this year with an unusually small amount of financial assistance from the banks.

Simon Says Sloan Was 'Undesirable'

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Questioned regarding the recently ordered deportation of Tod Sloan, the former American jockey, Sir John Simon, British Home Secretary, informed those interested in the House of Commons:

"This man has been deported, and before making the deportation order I satisfied myself that it was not desirable in the public interest at the present time that he should remain in the United Kingdom."

PORT OF BOSTON

ARRIVED.

U. S. torpedo boat destroyer Warrington, Newport, R. I.
St. Gothard, Matanzas.
Maria Strathatos, Piraeus.
Rochelle, Antilla, Cuba.
Gloucester, Norfolk via Providence.
Grecian, Philadelphia.
Kershaw, Baltimore via Newport News and Norfolk.
Hampden, Baltimore.
James S. Whitney, New York.
Norfolk, Norfolk.
Gov. Dingley, Portland, Me.
City of Gloucester, Gloucester.

SAILED.

U. S. coast guard cutter Gresham, Provincetown.
U. S. torpedo boat Beale, Norfolk.
Keelung, New York.
Antilla, New York.
Bay Port, Newport News.
Gloucester, Baltimore via Newport News.
H. M. Whitney, New York.
Suffolk, Norfolk.
Stigstad, Baltimore.

DUE TODAY.

Mar Negro, Huelva.
Pathan, Singapore.
Auchendale, London.
Mesna, Rotterdam via Fayal.
Santurce, Manzanillo.

DUE FRIDAY.

Texas, San Francisco, etc.
The Warren, Montevideo.
Indrawadi, Yokohama via Bermuda.

DUE SATURDAY.

Clan Buchanan, Calcutta.
Highland Prince, Port Natal.
Westonby, Gibraltar.
Medora, Glasgow.

DUE SUNDAY.

Queen Margaret, London.
Coya, Valparaiso.
Sachem, Liverpool.
Myra Fell, Savona.
Nordland, Manzanillo.

DUE MONDAY.

Ninian, Manchester.

DUE WEDNESDAY.

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FOR EXCHANGE—$3,000 equity, paying over 10 per cent. in a brick building having 12 flats, 5 minutes' walk from Boylston and Tremont sts., owner wants a one-family house or a good piece of land. A. S. TUCKER CO., 1672 Washington st.

FOR SALE—1-acre chicken farm, $25, $2 down, $2 monthly. JAMES E. BURKE, 801 Old South bldg. (5th floor), Boston, Mass. Phone Main 2162.

$3 MONTHLY—Camp lot, 9,000 sq. ft., 60 ft. frontage, only $98; handy to Boston; many shade trees; near large lake and only 5 minutes to transportation. R 455, Boston American.

$700—$100 DOWN, $10 month, large, 6-room furnished house, South Framingham; would cost about $1,500 to build. BARTLETT, 89 Court st., Boston.

FOR SALE—Farm, 16 acres, house, barn, within minute of electrics, between Waltham and Lexington; price $4,200. D. E. PERKINS, 22 Moody st., Waltham.

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Real Estate—Allston.

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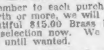

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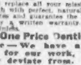

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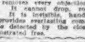

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DEATHS.

BIGELOW—In Rockland, Mass., Dec. 1, Hannah [illegible], widow of James F. Bigelow. Funeral from the residence of J. E. Smith, 29 Park st., Rockland, Saturday, Dec. 4, at 2 p. m. Train leaves South Station, Boston, at 12:43.

COCHRANE—In Dorchester, Dec. 1, Mary L., widow of [illegible] Cochrane. Funeral from her late residence, 45 Summer st., Upham's Corner, on Saturday, Dec. 4, at [illegible].

DURROW—In East Boston, Nov. 30, John Ernest, beloved son of James and Charlotte M. Durrow, [illegible]. Funeral from his parents' residence, 88 Wordsworth st., Friday, Dec. 3, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

DUFFY—In Roxbury, Dec. 1, Julia A. Duffy (nee [illegible]), widow of Peter Duffy. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John [illegible], 13 [illegible] st., Friday, Dec. 3, at 9 a. m. Solemn high mass at [illegible] o'clock at Mission Church. Relatives and friends kindly invited to be present.

FARRAGUT—In South Boston, Nov. 30, Ellen Farragut. Funeral from residence, 49 F st., Friday, Dec. 3, at 9 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Augustine's Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

GOLDBERG—In this city, Nov. 30, Louis H. Goldberg, [illegible]. Funeral services at his late residence, 415 Seaver st., Thursday, Dec. 2, at 1:30 p. m. Funeral private. Burial at Wakefield.

MONAHAN—In this city, Dec. 1, Mary, widow of John Monahan [illegible]. Funeral from her late residence, 12 Fayette st., Friday, Dec. 3, at [illegible] a. m. Requiem mass at St. James' Church at 9:15 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

NEWMAN—In East Boston, Dec. 1, William G., beloved husband of Minnie A. Newman (nee Savage). Late member of Walter I. Chadbourne Camp 32, U. S. W. V. Funeral from his late residence, 311 Lexington st., East Boston, Saturday, Dec. 4, at 8 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at Star of the Sea Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

NOLAN—In Dorchester, Dec. 1, at his late residence, 31 Fox st., Michael, beloved husband of Mary J. Nolan, 94 yrs. Late member of St. Peter's Court, No. 13, M. C. O. F.

NUGENT—In East Boston, Nov. 30, Eleanor W., beloved wife of Captain John Nugent and mother of Rev. John J. Nugent and Rev. Brother Benedict and Rev. Brother Albinus. Funeral from her late residence, 99 Liverpool st., Friday, Dec. 3, at 8:15 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer at 9:00 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

PITZKE—In Roslindale, Nov. 30, Caroline Pitzke, in her 77th year. Funeral from her late residence, 797 Belgrade av., Thursday, Dec. 2, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

ROBINSON—In Somerville, Dec. 1, Horace F. Robinson, 71 yrs. Services at late residence, 54 Albion st., Friday, Dec. 3, at 1:30 p. m.

RYAN—In Jamaica Plain, Nov. 30, Lillian J., daughter of the late John H. and Annie Ryan (nee Whalen), formerly of Roxbury. Funeral from the residence of her sister, Mrs. H. F. [illegible], 3 [illegible], Friday, Dec. 3, at 8:30 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Thomas' Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

ROWE—In Bedford, Dec. 1, Moses Eldridge Rowe, in his [illegible] year. Funeral services from his late residence, South st., Bedford, Saturday, Dec. 4, at 2 p. m.

SHEEHAN—In this city, Caroline J. Sheehan, after a long illness. Funeral private. Burial at Providence, Friday. Providence papers please copy.

SHINE—In South Boston, Dec. 1, Julia A., beloved wife of Jeremiah W. Shine (nee Sweeney). Funeral from her late residence, 21 Winfield st., off East Eighth st., on Saturday, Dec. 4, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at the Gate of Heaven Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

SKAHAN—In Belmont, Dec. 1, Edward F., husband of Nellie M. (Pigeon) Skahan (Selectman of town of Belmont). Funeral from the family home, 61 Grove st., Saturday at 9 a. m. Solemn requiem services at the Sacred Heart Church, Mt. Auburn, at 10 a. m.

SILLOWAY—In Roxbury, Nov. 30, Charles H. Silloway, in his 57th year. Funeral services at his late residence, 37 Rockland st., Thursday, Dec. 2, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

STRASSEL—In Chelsea, Dec. 1, Peter, beloved son of Mary and the late Blaz Strassel (nee Karvelis). Funeral from his late residence, 125 Chester av., Saturday, Dec. 4, at 8 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Rose Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

TYLER—In North Abington, Dec. 1, Fannie E., wife of Henry F. Tyler, 53 yrs. 6 mos. Funeral from her late residence, 128 Randolph st., North Abington, Friday, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

WARSHAUER—Sophia, beloved wife of Albert M. Warshauer. Funeral from late residence, 6 Ottawa st., Roxbury, Thursday, Dec. 2, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

Lost and Found.

LOST—SETTER DOG

FEMALE, half-grown, white-tan ears. H. W. DAVIES, 79 Hall av., Watertown; tel.; reward.

LOST—Would man who took Boston unclaimed Boston bull terrier from Waverley car please return same to, or communicate with WILLIAM CLEMENT, 115 Langdon st., Watertown.

LOST—Pearl and diamond brooch in Filene's restaurant, or between there and Colonial Theatre, Friday night. [illegible] Suite 72, 1284 Commonwealth av., or phone Brookline 5360; reward.

LOST—Gold heart-shaped locket in Back Bay, monogram T. E. C. Return R 561, Boston American.

LOST—On tunnel train Saturday eve, tube containing drawings. Return to E. A. SIMPSON, 80 Broad st. Reward.

LOST—A white Portuguese poodle dog, named "Cessie." Return to 18 Pleasant st., Cambridge; reward.

LOST—Tuesday, silver watch fob, reward. Address A 298, Boston American.

Found by the Police.

FOUND—(1) wheat, (1) a box of shredded wheat, mdd. Schaff Grocery Co., 958 Mass. av.

CLOTHING—(1) Gent's gray suit; 2 suits of gent's underwear.

TIRES—(1) By Milton, Mass. police, 2 automobile tires in cases, dropped from an automobile going towards Boston.

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Information Wanted.

INFORMATION wanted of William Jenkins, who recently came to Boston from Providence; his brother George would like to meet him at South Station entrance, between 12 and 1 p. m. today (Thursday).

WILL Mrs. Grace Curran, formerly Miss Grace Barter, communicate with Clark Burdick, Newport, R. I., and learn of something to her advantage. CLARK BURDICK.

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Boston American
Editorial Columns

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1915

OUR FIRST DUTY IS TO MAINTAIN PEACE; OUR NEXT DUTY IS TO *PREPARE* FOR WAR

New Commerce Chamber Head Discusses Bad Street Conditions

MR. LOUIS K. LIGGETT, the newly-elected president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, gave an interesting interview to the AMERICAN last Sunday. One of the most interesting views which he took on problems that greatly concern the city was his opinion concerning our narrow, crowded streets in the retail shopping district.

As Mr. Liggett says, it is a novel view of the situation and may have merit. Certainly his solution of the problem in that part of the city would be infinitely better than the present situation there. At least it ought to be seriously considered.

Mr. Liggett said:

"I believe this question of wide streets will bear looking into from an angle somewhat at variance with the popular conception. It may surprise you to know that, in my opinion, the very narrowness of the streets in the retail district is a good thing for the retail merchant. When I first came to New England as a salesman, I was impressed by Westminster street in Providence as being ideal for retail stores. The people find it very convenient to trade on a thoroughfare in which it is easy to pass from side to side and visit the different establishments on either side of the street.

"Now, in the newer Western cities, where there are wide streets, business on one side suffers because of the very wideness of the thoroughfare. You will find values on one side high and on the opposite side of the wide street very much lower.

"In my judgment, Boston's retail section needs, not so much wider streets as more intelligent use of the streets as we now have them.

"I mean by that, the taking off those streets, like Winter street and Washington street from School to Boylston, of the trolley traffic and much, if not all, of the heavier kind of vehicles. All this, diverted around and through what may be called the subsidiary streets in that vicinity, would work a great improvement upon the present situation of blockade and dangerous overcrowding."

Serbia, Sorely Stricken, Asks American Aid

PROBABLY of all the victims of this insane and cruel war the people of Serbia have suffered most.

Seemingly of all who have suffered the Serbians have least awakened the compassionate aid of other peoples.

For Serbia is to most of the world, to Americans particularly, an unknown land, peopled by tribes with manners and customs to us strange and uncouth.

Yet we think that this appeal, issued to the American people through the Hearst newspapers, will speak the language understandable by every one in whose heart glows human sympathy:

"The United States and the institutions of North America were created as a protest against conditions prevailing in old Europe. Serbia, a little America in Europe, has had a hard fate, because of her democratic tendencies.

"After 500 years of black slavery Serbia freed herself from the Mohammedan Sultan. But now a Christian Kaiser, himself preaching Christ the Merciful, considers it a glory to crush and enslave this little Christian nation, just blossoming into the light of freedom.

"The people of Serbia do not hate the people of Schiller and Goethe, but wonder why the Kaiser is imitating the Sultan in his destructive work.

"Serbia is silently, painfully fighting and dying. Facing starvation, she appeals for aid. Only America can relieve Serbia. America can send bread and clothing to the hungry, frozen people, who are now being so terribly punished because they have been brave.

"We make this appeal to the 'country of liberty':

"Come and save our people, in the name of humanity and freedom, and God and history will not forget your deed."

To this appeal the AMERICAN gladly gives added currency, and earnestly joins in urging that aid be forthcoming for this stricken people.

Once-Overs

What have you done for humanity outside of your own family?

Of course you say that charity begins at home. Yes, but it should not end there.

Have you ever endured a little hardship that some afflicted person might enjoy a ray of sunshine?

Have you ever performed any act which was more than a mere act of courtesy, except for those who because of kinship you are in duty bound to favor?

Caring only for those who are near to you will not get you a crown of glory.

You are expected to do that much.

But have you ever assisted any of those who have no one to help them? Or perhaps have those who should assist but refuse to do so?

An all wise Providence has given each of us the power to do something for our neighbor, and the stranger within the gates. It is a great and honorable trust, a blessed privilege which pays big dividends. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to feel the joy which comes through giving, not money so much as yourself, to help those who are in need.

Try to put yourself in the position of the one you wish to aid, and give aid tactfully and cheerfully, not boastfully. "Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth."

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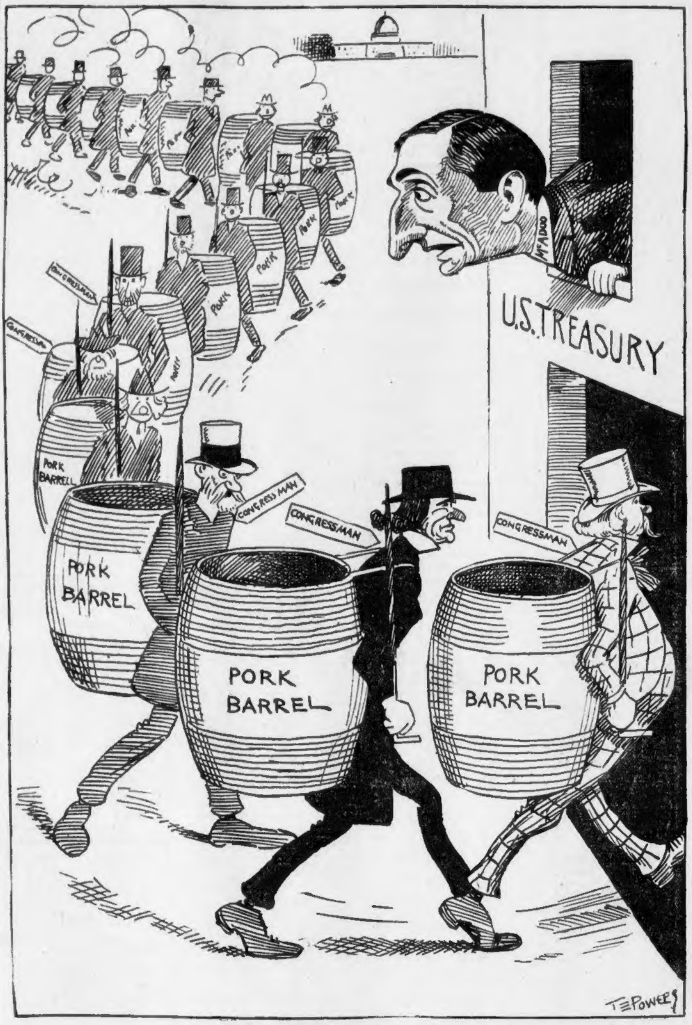


One Kind of Patriots Who Are Always Ready for Service

More Truth Than Poetry

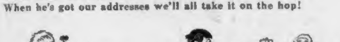
By James J. Montague

The Reception Committee

WE ain't no loafers, Mister Cop, we're just a bunch o' boys
That's waitin' here till Santa Claus comes in to buy his toys.
We come around too late las' year; we come an' asked the gent
That keeps the store if he was here, an' he says no—he'd went.
That's on the level, Mister Cop, we ain't no tramps or bums;
We only wants to stick around an' see him when he comes.

HE knows where all the rich kids live, an' when he's filled his sleigh
They never need to be afraid he'll miss them Chris'mas day.
But he don't know a one of us, an' if we ain't right here
To tell him where we're livin' at he won't be 'round this year.
So leave us stay here, Mr. Cop, a n' when his shoppin's done
We just will speak our little piece an' then we'll cut an' run.

PERHAPS you've got a kid or two an' you know what they'd say
An' how they'd feel if Santa Claus forgot 'em Chris'mas day.
When all the kids along the street is playin' with new toys—
Not havin' any toys yourself is hard for little boys.
Don't chase us fellers out o' here, for honest, Mister Cop,
When he's got our addresses we'll all take it on the hop!



Citing a Famous Precedent.

Speaking of boiling cooks, W. S. Gilbert had this to say:

For I loved that cook as a brother,
I did,
And the cook he worshipped me;
But we'd both be blowed if we'd
either be stowed
In the other chap's hold, you see.
"I'm eat if you dines off me," says
Tom;
"Yes, that," says I, "you'll be.
"I'm boiled if I die, my friend,"
quoth I,
And "Exactly so," says he.

Then he heats the water and takes
the salt
And pepper in portions true,
(Which he never forgot) and some
chopped shalott
And some sage and parsley, too.
And he stirs it 'round and 'round
and 'round
And sniffs at the foaming froth,
When I ups with his heels and
smothers his squeals
In the scum of the boiling broth.

On the Other Hand

"Getting the boys out of the trenches by Christmas" would be just as fine a thing as Mr. Ford says it is for the boys of Europe. But keeping the boys of this country out of the trenches permanently would be worth even more money than the peace ship is going to cost.

By Way of Comparison.

Switzerland has thus far paid $51,000,000 to remain neutral. If the neutrality of a few hotel keepers and a handful of guides and cheese builders is worth $51,000,000, what, we ask the pacifists, is the neutrality of the United States of America worth?

The Marvels of the Universe

There Are Stars at Least Ten Thousand Times Greater Than the Sun and Others at Least a Hundred Times Smaller Than the Sun—The Sun Is a Medium-Size Star, as the Earth Is a Medium-Size Planet.

By Garrett P. Serviss

(1) "A" says that the nearest star to the earth is larger than the sun, "B" holding that the sun is the larger.

(2) "A" says that the sun is an incandescent body of gas, which is formed of several layers on the outside, and a seething, white-hot "core." "B" says that it is of the same composition as the earth; that is, matter, and not gas, and that the earth was once a part of the sun, having been thrown off in the course of an eruption.

(3) "A" says that there are several stars as much as 1,000 times as far away from the earth as the sun, and that some of them are as much as 1,000 times as large as the sun. "B" takes exception to this.

We would feel greatly indebted if you would settle this, at the same time increasing our knowledge on the subject. W. P. M.

1. THE nearest star to the earth is, as far as known at present, Alpha Centauri, in the southern hemisphere. It is a double star, consisting of two suns, each about as massive as our sun and slightly brighter, revolving around each other in a period somewhat more than eighty years, at a mean distance apart of about 1,000 million miles.

But the orbit is so eccentric that at one point in the revolution the two suns are not farther apart than the distance between Jupiter and our sun, while at the opposite point they are nearly as far apart as the distance of Uranus from the sun. Thus the two suns in Alpha Centauri rush around their common centre of gravity, now sweeping nearer to each other and now farther apart, all their evolutions being performed within a circuit much smaller than that of the solar system.

Sun a Globe of Incandescent Gas, Inclosed in a Shell of Vapor

2. According to all the evidence we have, the sun is a globe of incandescent gas much hotter within than at the surface. It appears to be inclosed in a shell of partially cooled gas and vapors, whose temperature, however, still remains too high to permit their condensation into the liquid or solid state.

The spectroscope shows that all the principal substances known on the earth exist, in an incandescent state, in the shell that surrounds the sun like a glowing atmosphere. Iron, for instance, is there abundantly in the form of clouds of hot vapor. Probably every chemical element exists in the sun, but only about half of them have been as yet recognized by the spectroscope.

As to the earth having once been a part of the sun, that is probably true if we consider the separation to have taken place at a time when the sun was enormously greater in bulk (though not in mass, or quantity of matter) than at present. According to the nebular hypothesis of Laplace, the entire solar system was produced by the gradual contraction of a rotating nebula which, spinning faster and faster as it contracted, left a series of nebulous rings, which afterward broke up and condensed into the earth and the other planets.

Solar System Final Result of a Collision of Immense Masses

But not much more than one-thousandth of the original mass was formed into planets, all the rest contracting into a central globe to make the sun. According to the more recent but not necessarily more correct planetesimal hypothesis, the solar system was formed as the final result of a collision of two or more immense masses, but, under either supposition, the constitution of the sun is regarded as gaseous.

3. "A's" estimate of the distance of the stars is vastly below the truth. There is no star anywhere near so close to us as only 1,000 times the distance of the sun. The nearest star in the sky, Alpha Centauri, is 270,000 times as far away as the sun, and the great majority of the stars are several million times more distant than the sun.

As for size, some of the stars are even more than a thousand times more luminous than the sun, and in some cases the size, or bulk, of these bright stars may exceed that of the sun in an even greater ratio than their luminosity. This arises from their smaller relative density. A few stars, such as Canopus and Rigel, are believed, on good grounds, to be at least 10,000, and possibly 25,000, times greater than the sun as light givers.

At the same time, there are many stars which are smaller than the sun, or, at least, less luminous. Some are 100 times less than the sun. This may be due either to their smaller size or to the inferior brilliance of their surface, as compared, area for area, with that of the sun.

Universe Made Up of Suns, Many of Them Colossal and Others Dwarfs

Upon the whole, it appears that the universe is made up of suns having a wide range of actual magnitude. Many are giants, and many others are dwarfs, our sun falling into a rank somewhere near the mean. This happens roughly to correspond with the relative size of the planets composing the solar system.

Jupiter, for instance, is 1,300 times larger than the earth, while the earth, in turn, is 4,000 times larger than the minor planet Ceres. Ceres, in fact, is 80 times smaller than the moon, so that if it were a satellite of the earth it would appear as a mere baby moon.

If we suppose the great star Canopus to be 10,000 times larger than the sun (corresponding with its relative luminosity), then the inferiority in size of Jupiter to the sun is ten times less than that of the sun to Canopus, for Jupiter is only about 1,000 times smaller than the sun.

Inklings and Thinklings

By Wex Jones

Page, in Buckingham Palace: "King George the Fifth! King George the Fifth! Note from America for King George! King George the Fifth!"

In Kansas the grammarians have formed the Anti-Ain't Association. Ain't that funny?

Our idea of something worse than killing time is inventing a left-handed watch.

A garage advises motorists—"Don't throw away your old tires; have them retreaded."

Why not retrod?

Wisconsin University provides lace curtains for its cow byres. Ornamental, and also useful for straining milk through.

Speaking of defective babies, there's the shipping bill.

Voices from the tomb: Council Bluffs, Ia.

Do your Christmas shopping early; the price of battleships is rising.

Robert Louis Stevenson . . . was tubercular from early life . . . yet he wrote some masterpieces of American literature.—JANE ADDAMS.

Much as we dislike hyphens, we'll have to make this Scottish-American literature.